Up there in the Madison Square Garden mezzanine, all those empty blue seats testified to the first Knicks' playoff game since 1984 that was not a sellout. Instead of the 19,081 capacity, the attendance was 18,021.

That's many more than the Knicks deserved in surrendering quietly, almost meekly, to the Chicago Jordans in the National Basketball Association playoffs.

Now the new regime of president Dave Checketts and personnel director Ernie Grunfeld must make the decisions that will determine the future of the franchise.

Two of those decisions appear to have been made. In discussing Patrick Ewing's future yesterday, Checketts acknowledged that he would prefer to "build around" the 7-foot center rather than trade him for a pack-

New York Knicks need to hire Pat Riley as next coach

Asked about John MacLeod's status, Checketts talked about doing "what's best" for the coach who did his best with what he had.

age of players.

What's best for MacLeod, reportedly, is to go to Notre Dame where he should find impressionable youngsters willing to listen to him.

What's best for the Knicks is to hire a new coach to create a new atmosphere for the new faces that Checketts hopes to obtain.

"This group of players has been together too long," Checketts said. "There's not a lot of trust or affection among them."

As capable as MacLeod is, if he were rehired, the returning players would perceive the situation to be much the same. Continuity is always preferable but with a new regime, the Knicks need to make the big decision: choosing a new coach for a new perception.

In pursuing that coach, the Knicks' priority should be Pat Riley, who guided the Lakers to four NBA titles before joining the NBC network as a pro basketball studio analyst.

Maybe the Knicks' situation is too messy to tempt Riley to return. Maybe he wouldn't want to leave his Brentwood, Calif., home. Maybe he would rather stay in television. But maybe Riley remains a coach at heart. Maybe he would enjoy the challenge of sculpting the Knicks into a contender.

Until the Knicks officially announce that MacLeod won't return, Riley isn't about to say that he'd be interested or disinterested.

"I like what I'm doing," Riley said of his NBC role when asked his thoughts on a possible Knicks offer. "I like my life now. Eventually a person does what he is. I don't know yet whether I'm a TV person, a coach or a writer, but I do like my life now."

But perhaps Paramount Communications, the show-biz conglomerate that owns the Garden, could persuade Riley to change his life.

Riley owns the best regular-season winning percentage of any coach in NBA history: .733 with a 533-194 record. In the playoffs, his Lakers were 102-47 for .685.

But from the moment he succeeded Paul Westhead to the time he left last summer, Riley always had Magic Johnson and, until his final season, Kareem Abdul-Jabbar.

Those two were a blessing for Riley, but also a curse. Cynics always wondered if their talent measured Riley for four championship rings? Or did his coaching

design those rings? Now 46 years old, Riley would seem to be too young to resist a multimillion dollar offer to be the Knicks coach. If he were to lead the Knicks to a NBA title, or even into serious contention, his stature would be unquestioned.

Then again, Riley might not want to risk failure. If he were unable to turn the Knicks around, it would tarnish that .733 winning percentage.

Dave Anderson is a columnist for the New York Times.

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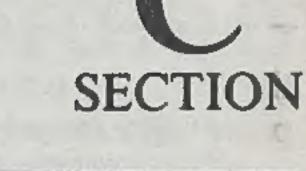
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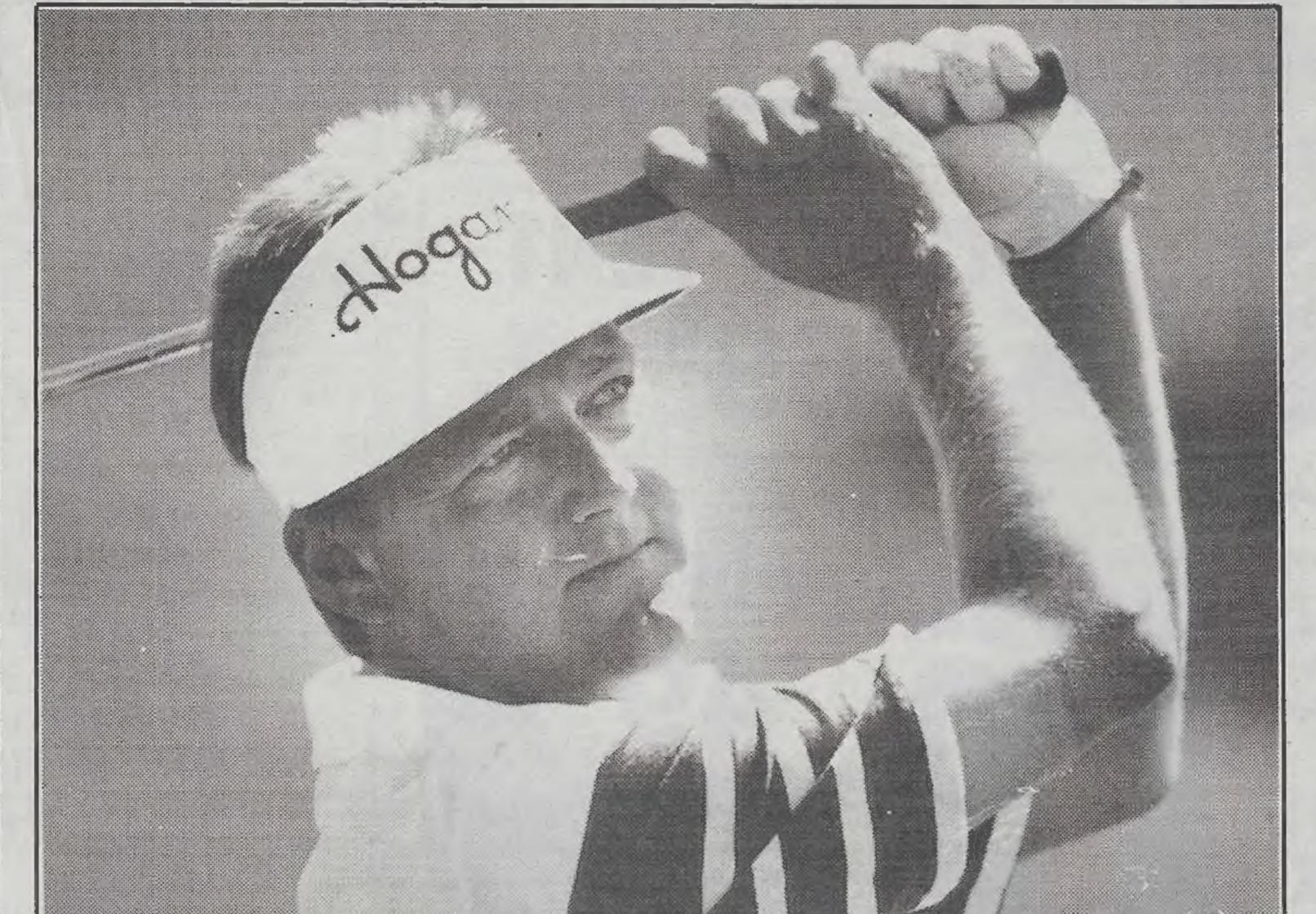
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Cowboys quarterback Troy Aikman shows he has recovered from off-season surgery. 3C The Mavericks decide not to pick up the option on Alex English's contract, making the veteran forward a free agent. 8C

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Fort Worth Star-Telegram / PAUL MOSELEY ark Brooks, who won last week's from the Byron Nelson pro-am because of STORY ON PAGE 6

# Gone fishing

### Most top PGA players skipping Nelson

By JIMMY BURCH Fort Worth Star-Telegram

IRVING — No wonder they call this the GTE Byron Nelson Classic. With rare exception, the guys with the thickest money clips on the Professional Golfers' Association Tour have Gone Traveling Elsewhere.

The top dog, Dallas resident Lanny Wadkins, is here. But Paul Azinger, No. 5 on the earnings list, is tarpon fishing off the Florida coast. Rocco Mediate, the man behind Wadkins, presumably is honing his arm for an upcoming date to toss out a ceremonial first pitch for his beloved Pittsburgh Pirates. Greg Norman, last year's PGA Tour earnings leader, is scuba diving in Mexico.

Of this season's top 10 money winners, only four will tee it up this week at the Tournament Players Course in Las Colinas: Wadkins, Corey Pavin (No. 6), Steve Elkington (No. 8) and Andrew Magee (No.

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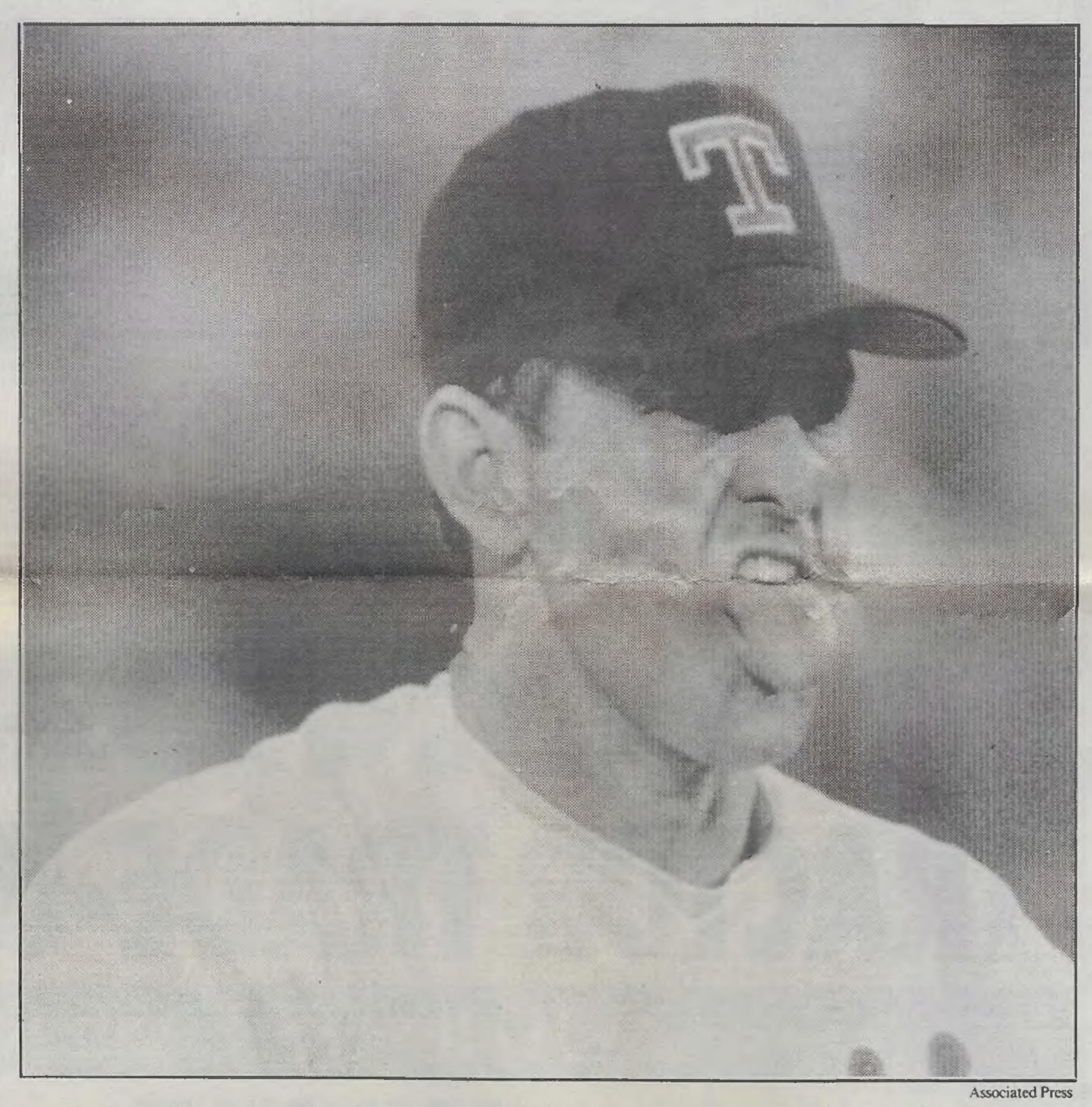
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9). In all, 14 of the top 22 have bypassed the

Nelson.

The no-show percentage from the elite (More on NELSON on Page 6)

# Seventh heaven



Nolan Ryan, reacting after walking Kelly Gruber in the first, struck out 16 Blue Jays

# Rangers' Ryan whiffs 16 Jays in no-hitter

BY T.R. SULLIVAN Fort Worth Star-Telegram

ARLINGTON — Nolan Ryan continues to go where no man has gone before, throwing his seventh career no-hitter, three more than any other pitcher in baseball history.

Ryan, extending a record he set almost 10 years ago, thrilled a crowd of 33,439 and a national television audience in Canada by holding the Toronto Blue Jays hitless in the Texas Rangers' 3-0 victory last night at Arlington Stadium.

Ryan, at age 44, is the oldest pitcher to throw a no-hitter but he already held that record too with the gem he threw against the Oakland Athletics last year.

There is no historical precedent for this achievement, there are no men in bronze, hanging in baseball's Hall of Fame, who performed a comparable feat at this stage of their lives.

For longevity and athletic prowess at this stage and possibly throughout his career, Ryan stands alone.

In 1989, Ryan lost a no-hitter against the Blue Jays when Nelson Liriano tripled with one out in the ninth.

Ryan struck out 16 and walked just two. The closest the Blue Jays Rangers no-hitters No-hitters thrown by Texas Rangers

pitchers:

Last night - Nolan Ryan vs. Toronto, 3-0 June 11, 1990 - Nolan Ryan at Oakland, 5-0 Sept. 22, 1977 — Bert Blyleven at California, 6-0 July 30, 1973 — Jim Bibby at Oakland, 6-0

came to a hit was Manny Lee's blooper to short center in the fifth inning that Gary Pettis ran down and caught just below the waist.

The Rangers got Ryan the runs he needed in the third off Toronto starter Jimmy Key as Ruben Sierra belted a two-run homer, his third home run in the last two games.

Gary Pettis started the rally with an infield single, a high chopper that tipped off Key's glove, leaving shortstop Manny Lee without a play. After Jack Daugherty struck out trying to drop a sacrifice bunt, Rafael Palmeiro followed with a single to right, moving Pettis to second. Pettis then stole third and came around to score when catcher Greg Myers bounced his throw past third baseman Kelly Gruber.

Sierra then blasted a 1-1 pitch over the left-field fence for his fifth

(More on RANGERS on Page 5)

# SWC athletic directors keep Tulane question low-key

BY WENDELL BARNHOUSE Fort Worth Star-Telegram

D/FW AIRPORT — If Southwest Conference athletic directors have established an opinion about adding Tulane, they are keeping their thoughts private.

The athletic directors met yesterday, and the subject of adding Tulane did not occupy most of their time. The meeting was characterized as a housekeeping session to set agendas for the league's spring meetings in Colorado later this month.

The only talk about Tulane involved a report on the fact-finding mission to Tulane in mid-April. The athletic directors did not take a vote or make any recommendations regarding their position on adding Tulane as a replacement for Arkansas.

Tulane, a member of the Metro Conference, has not been shy about its desire to move up in class and join the SWC.

SWC commissioner Fred Jacoby said the athletic directors (and faculty representatives) will review and discuss adding Tulane at the spring meetings. He said he expects both groups to pass the issue along to the presidents.

"I think it's being discussed quite a bit on

base

the individual campuses," he said. "I don't think they want to be put in a position where one group wants it and another group doesn't. If they did and the presidents went the other way, it would look like disharmony — although I'm not sure that's the right

The SWC presidents are scheduled to meet June 3 in Dallas. At that time, the Tulane issue will have been studied by all levels of the athletic hierarchy — coaches, athletic directors and faculty representatives. Each president will have heard from his constituency and will have formulated his position.

"The athletic directors haven't been asked for a recommendation as a group. Out of fairness to Tulane, I think the presidents will make a decision on June 3," TCU athletic director Frank Windegger said. "I think the presidents will listen to what their athletic directors and faculty representatives say. But they'll have the final vote."

It will take a three-quarters majority (six votes) to approve Tulane's admittance. However, if the presidents vote in Tulane's favor, it is expected that the final tally will

(More on SWC on Page 6)

### Jory's journey to Derby has been long, arduous

BY GARY WEST Fort Worth Star-Telegram

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — A few years ago, Ian Jory's residence was a tack room at Hollywood Park in California.

Tucked away in a corner of a barn, a tack room usually is used for the storage of bridles and saddles but sometimes is reserved for the lonely hours and private lives of destitute racetrackers.

And Jory was destitute.

As he recalled it, he "didn't have anything." He was a continent and an ocean away from home. He didn't even own an automobile and in the hushed hours of the early morning he could hear mice scavenging for morsels in the nearby feed

room. But he had a plan. He was going places.

Perhaps all the way to the Kentucky Derby winner's circle. Saturday, at Churchill Downs in Louisville, for the world's most famous horse race, Jory saddles the horse to beat — Best Pal.

The winner's circle at Churchill Downs — it requires a long journey, especially from Hertfordshire, the heart of the dairy country north of London, and especially for the son of an English physician.

Jory at first had little interest in horse racing. But then he read a Dick Francis novel given him by a friend. With horse racing for a backdrop, the Fran-(More on DERBY on Page 2)

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All-time stolen

### A's Henderson steals place in record book with No. 939

BY TIM LIOTTA The Associated Press

OAKLAND, Calif. — Rickey Henderson finally swiped Lou Brock's record, diving head first into history yesterday for career steal No. 939.

"Lou Brock was a great base stealer, but today I'm the greatest of all time," the Athletics' star said to the crowd of 36,139 in the Oakland Coliseum after breaking the record during the fourth inning of a 7-4 victory against the New York Yank-

just want to keep stealing bases," said Henderson, who figures 1,200 is a cinch and 1,500 is possible if he stays healthy. "I want to steal so many that I put [the record] out of sight.

Henderson set the record in 1,154

attempts in 12 seasons. Brock needed 1,245 attempts over 19 years. It took Ty Cobb 24 years to set the previous American League record of 892 stolen bases that Henderson surpassed last May 29.

Henderson's historic steal came in the fourth inning with Tim Leary pitching and Matt Nokes catching. Henderson immediately pulled up the base, held it above the head in his right hand and pumped his left fist in celebration.

"When I felt my hand on the base, it was a dream come true," Henderson said, "All that work and dedication paid off."

Brock then came on the field as fans gave Henderson a standing ovation.

> "It's always been said that compe-(More on RECORD on Page 5)

### Hunters for Hungry hoping to attract more donations

BY BOB HOOD Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Despite what supporters say was a slow start for their new organization, Texas hunters provided 22,233 meals for the hungry throughout the state last winter through their efforts for the Hunters for the Hungry program.

Texas deer hunters donated more than 7,000 pounds of venison to 13 food banks across the state during the initial effort by the Hunters for the Hungry.

The program, sponsored by the End Hunger Network, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, Texas Department of Health and the Exotic Wildlife Association, had hoped to do much better but blamed the slow start on a short time frame in getting the program started.

Deer hunters donated 7,411 pounds of venison from 212 deer.

"It wasn't as much as we had expected," Sister Frances Klinger of the Houston-based End Hunger Network said. "The areas with good advertising had good returns, and the areas with poor advertising had poor returns. Part of the problem was the short time frame we worked under when getting the program started. It didn't allow us time to market the program sufficiently."

The venison was donated to the Texas Association of Second Harvest Food Banks. That organization in turn distributed the meat to agencies who feed the hungry. "It all went to volunteer organizations who feed the hungry," Klinger said.

Hunters were asked to bring any deer they wished to donate to participating meat-processing plants throughout the state.

The locker plants cut and wrapped the meat and prepared it for distribution.

Had more locker plants joined the program, more deer would have been received, Hunters for the Hungry supporters said.

In most cases, the hunters paid the processing fee for the meat they donated.

The two cities with the most donations were San Angelo and Austin. At San Angelo, hunters donated 43 deer that totaled 1,507 pounds and provided 4,521 meals. Austin-area hunters donated 37 deer that totaled 1,298 pounds and provided 3,894 meals.

Also participating were hunters from Amarillo, College Station, Fort Worth, Houston, Lubbock, McAllen, Odessa, San Antonio, Tyler, Victoria and Waco.

Amarillo and Odessa hunters donated 26 deer each, 24 were collected at McAllen, 17 were received from Amarillo hunters, 18 from Houston, 10 from Fort Worth, and from one to four deer were picked up at Lubbock, San Antonio, Tyler, Victoria and Waco.

Hunters for the Hungry leaders say they will seek more locker plants to participate in next winter's program and say they will make a major push to encourage more hunters to donate all or portions of the deer they harvest.

Hunters also may help with the program by contacting volunteer organizations in their hometowns who are working with the Hunters for the Hungry and assist them in recruiting more deer-processing plants.

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### Derby

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cis book awakened Jory's interest in the sport and convinced him that the racing life could be exciting. Soon he was mucking stalls and learning whatever he could about the game.

For seven years, he worked as an assistant to two of England's successful trainers — Sir Mark Prescott and Jeremy Hindley. He was eager to have a stable of his own, but in England, where trainers usually own their yards, or training centers, that was virtually impossible.

So he came to America. For four years, he worked as the assistant to trainer John Gosden, sometimes living in tack rooms and, perhaps, wondering if he should have read a book by Dick Francis.

Finally, when he embarked on his own training career, it got off to a sluggish start. Overnight, he went from handling Gosden's graded stakes winners to training California-bred maidens. In 1986, his entire stable, which usually numbered about four horses, earned \$14,020.

But his talents didn't go unnoticed. Last year, he brought Video Ranger to Kentucky, and the long shot finished fourth in the Derby. And John Mabee, one of the country's leading breeders and owners, put a few horses in his care, including Best Pal.

As a 2-year-old, Best Pal won six of eight starts and earned \$1,026,195. In his first two starts as a 3-year-old, he finished third in the San Rafael Stakes and second in the Santa Anita Derby, both by a halflength to Dinard, the former Kentucky Derby favorite who's now sidelined with an injury.

But of all the Derby candidates, he has been most impressive in his Churchill Downs preparations.

"I thought he was peaking in there [in the Santa Anita Derby], but he's peaking now," Jory said yesterday. "He's doing awfully well."

Monday he breezed three furlongs in 34 3-5 seconds, and before exercise rider Felipe Guerrera could get him pulled up, the compact but muscular gelding had gone threequarters of a mile in 1:12 1-5. On April 24, he worked a mile in 1:39, finishing strongly with a final quarter-mile in 24 seconds. And before that, he had breezed a half-mile in. 49 seconds, galloping out a mile in 1:38 3-5.

"He's gotten a lot stronger," Jory said about Best Pal's development in recent months. "He likes to train. He enjoys being on the track. He enjoys running. He enjoys being

And so Jory likes his chances Saturday.

"He's battle-scarred," Jory said, meaning Best Pal continually has faced the best competition in his path to the Derby. "He's seasoned. He can take a little bumping, and he has tactical speed."

Best Pal galloped 11/4 miles yesterday, pulling hard at the bit every jump of the way. He wore a Yorkshire boot, a burlap wrapping around the ankle of his left hind leg, to prevent him from clipping the inside of his pastern when he walked.

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### Aikman shows he's healthy after off-season surgery

BY RICHIE WHITT Fort Worth Star-Telegram

IRVING — Although assured by doctors that the surgery on his quarterback would be simple and successful, Dallas Cowboys coach Jimmy Johnson

was full of worry. And that's understandable when an \$11 million cornerstone of the present and future is the subject of the surgery.

But five months after undergoing a Aikman double operation on his right (throwing) shoulder and elbow, quarterback Troy Aikman is proving there is no need to worry.

Aikman continues to be a highlight of the Cowboys' quarterback school at Valley Ranch this week, zipping the ball with noticeably more velocity and accuracy.

"Troy is throwing as well now as I have seen him since we've been with the Dallas Cowboys," Johnson said after yesterday's morning workout. "Without talking to him, it appears he's throwing much more comfortably. In the minicamp and now this week, he's been throwing extremely accurate."

Aikman underwent the surgery to repair bothersome bone chips in his elbow and a separated shoulder suffered when he was sacked in the season's 15th game against the Philadelphia Eagles. After the surgery on Jan. 2, he began throwing without pain in March.

"I feel great," said Aikman, who during the minicamps has consist-

### Cowboys notes

ently completed short out routes as well as long bombs. "There's no pain to speak of. I feel stronger and the big thing is that I feel more confident."

Johnson, too, feels confident —

"The doctors told us before the surgery that it shouldn't have any negative affects on him," Johnson said. "But it still concerns you when it's a double-surgery, and when the shoulder and elbow are involved. Once he threw early in the off-season it was apparent he was all right. This last week has just confirmed

### Offense clicking

Johnson said he has been surprised at the offense's smooth transition into new offensive coordinator Norv Turner's sys-

"I think we're having fewer mistakes than anybody expected at this time," Johnson said. "The quarterbacks are really picking it up well because it's an easier system for them to adjust to."

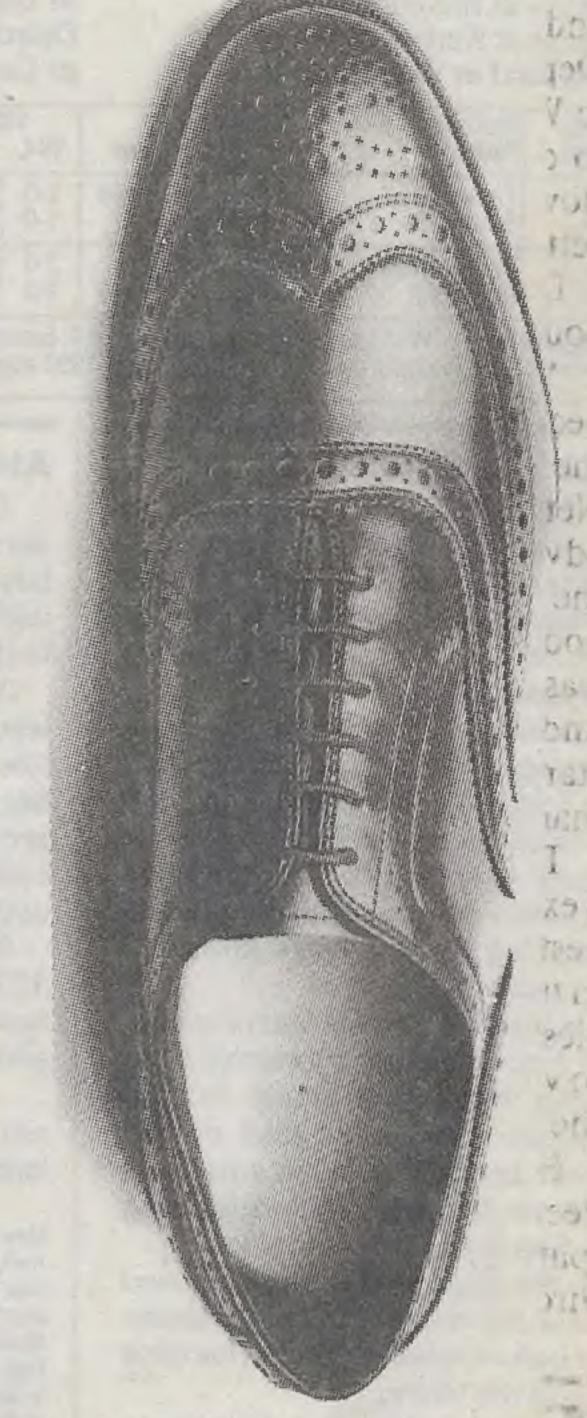
### Briefly

Linebacker Vinson Smith, cornerback Kenny Gant and safety James Washington all continued to get high marks from Johnson. Washington returned an interception for a score in yesterday's passing drills. . . . Fullback Alonzo Highsmith is nursing a strained left hamstring and only lightly participated in drills. . . . Offensive lineman Jeff Zimmerman remained a noshow. The Cowboys have tried to contact the five-year veteran several times. . . Veteran tight end Steve Folsom also is a no-show while considering a contract offer from Dallas. . . . Defensive end Jim Jeffcoat has returned to Arizona State to work on his master's degree after going through minicamp and the first day of quarterback school.



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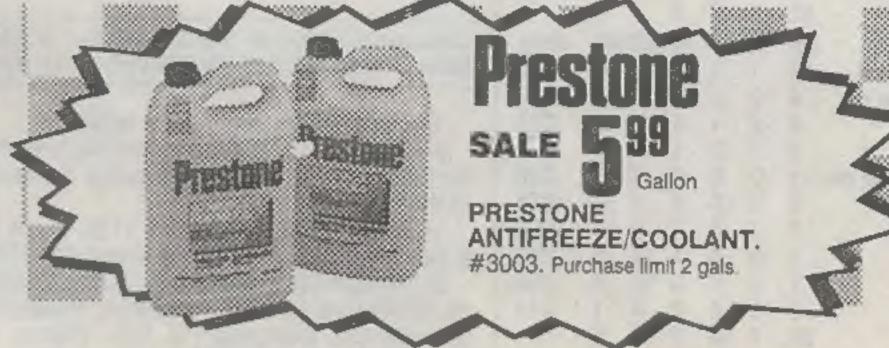
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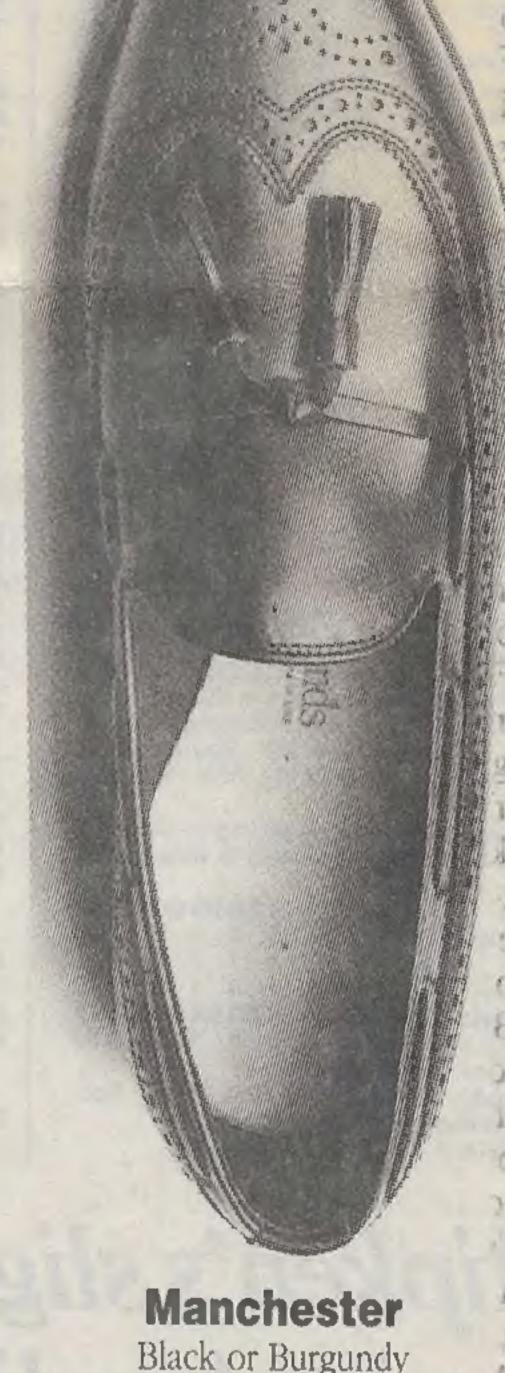
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Chicago White Sox	11	7	.611	11/2	0-0	5-4	5-5	L2
Texas Rangers	9	8	.529	3	0-0	4-6	6-4	W2
California Angels	10	10	.500	31/2	9-10	5-6	4-6	W1
Minnesota Twins	10	.11	.476	4	9-10	8-4	8-2	W1
Seattle Mariners	10	. 11	.476	4	8-11	6-3	5-5	W2
Kansas City Royals	8	11	.421	5	0-0	5-6	4-6	L4
East Division Boston Red Sox	Won 11	Lost 8	Pct. .579	GB	vs. Div. 5-6	Home 6-4	Lst.10 7-3	Str.
Milwaukee Brewers	11	9	.550	1/2	6-7	6-5	6-4	W2
Toronto Blue Jays	12	10	.545	1/2	12-8	8-3	4-6	L2
Detroit Tigers	10	9	.526	1	6-6	4-4	5-5	W2
Cleveland Indians	7	10	.412	3	3-2	1-5	3-7	L1
Baltimore Orioles	6	12	.333	41/2	2-4	2-7	3-7	12
New York Yankees	6	12	.333	41/2	2-3	3-4	4-6	L4

Yesterday at Texas 3, Toronto 0 at Milwaukee 10, Chicago 9 (19) at Oakland 7, New York 4 at Minnesota 1, Boston 0 Seattle at Baltimore Detroit at Kansas City

Tuesday at Texas 8, Toronto 5 Seattle 6, at Baltimore 3 Boston 7, at Minnesota 5 at Milwaukee 8, Chicago 2 at Oakland 7, New York 3 Detroit 13, at Kansas City 7 at California 6, Cleveland 5 (11)

Tomorrow Texas at Detroit, 6:35 p.m. Boston at Chicago, 7:05 p.m. Toronto at Kansas City, 7:35 p.m. Minnesota at Milwaukee, 7:35 p.m. Cleveland at Oakland, 9:05 p.m. Baltimore at California, 9:35 p.m. New York at Seattle, 9:35 p.m.

Away Home	Probable Pitcher	Time	Line	19 W-L	91 ERA	W-L	O vs. Or	P. ERA	W-L	st 3 sta		AHWG
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Legend: W-L: Won-Lost. IP: Innings pitched. ERA: Earned-run average. AHWG—Average hits and walks allowed per game. Vs. Opp: Pitcher's record vs. this opponent, 1990 statistics.

On TV Today

No games televised Tomorrow Rangers at Tigers, 6:30 p.m., Ch. 11.

### Twins 1, Red Sox 0

Cleveland at California

MINNEAPOLIS - Scott Erickson pitched a two-hitter and struck out career-high seven in his second consecutive shutout, and Dan Gladden hit a home run as Minnesota defeated Boston.

Erickson, who pitched a fivehitter for his first major-league shutout Friday against Seattle, held the Red Sox hitless through 51/3 innings before Jody Reed's bloop single to left field. Erickson walked one while extending his scoreless streak to 22 innings.

Erickson retired the first nine Boston hitters before shortstop Greg Gagne misplayed Wade Boggs' one-hop grounder to lead off the fourth. Erickson allowed a two-out walk to Jack Clark before striking out Ellis Burks to end the inning.

In the seventh, Erickson allowed a two-out double to Tom Brunansky before retiring Carlos Quintana to end the inning.

Notes — The last Minnesota pitcher the throw consecutive shutouts was Frank Viola in 1988. . . Boston starter Greg Harris, who had not pitched more than six innings in any of his four previous starts, allowed only three hits in seven while striking out six and walking two.

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Brunansky rf Quintana 1b Marzano c	3 3 3 2	0 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0	0 0	.25 .29
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Minnesota	AB	R	H	BH		80	Avg
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Gladden If	4	1	2	1	0	0	.20
Knoblauch 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0	.20
Knoblauch 2b Puckett cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	.20 .31 .32
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000 000 000-0 2 2 000 000 01x-1 4 1 a-grounded out for Rivera in the 8th. E—Boggs (2), GrHarris (1), Gagne (4), LOB— Boston 4, Minnesota 7, 2B—Brunansky (5), Gagne (5). HR-Gladden (2). RBIs-Gladden

Runners left in scoring position—Boston 2 (Burks, Quintana); Minnesota 3 (Knoblauch, CDavis, Gagne). IP H RERBBSO ERA Boston Gr. Harris 0 0 2 6 2.76 Gray L, 1-2 1 1 0 0 2.45 0 3.72 IP H RERBBSO ERA Erickson W, 3-2 9 2 0 0 1 7 1.58 IBB-off GrHarris (Hrbek) 1 Umpires-Home, Scott; First, Evans; Sec-

ond, Morrison; Third, Welke.

T-2:14. A-14,449.

OAKLAND, Calif. — Rickey Henderson surpassed Lou Brock as feated New York.

leading seventh home run, Earnest Riles went 4 for 5 with four runs batted in, and Mike Moore improved his record to 4-0 as the A's beat New York for the 16th consecutive time since Sept. 9, 1989.

Notes — The A's, who swept 12 games from New York in 1990, have won five in succession overall and nine consecutive road games. ... Leary is 0-7 with a 5.57 earnedrun average lifetime against Oakland.

New York	AB	R	Н	BH	BB 9	30	Av
Kelly cf	4	0	1	0	0	2	.27
Sax 2b	3	1	1	1	1	1	.28
Mattingly dh	4	0	-1	0	0	1	.26
Maas 1b	3	1	1	0	1	1	.23
Hall rf	1	0	0	-1	0	0	.17
a-Je.Barfield rf		0	1	0	1	0	.30
Nokes c	1	1	1	-1	0	0	.31
Meulens If	4	0	1	-1	0	2	.20
Velarde 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1	.13
c-Leyritz ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	.07
Espinoza ss	3	1	0	0	1	1	.34
	31	4	7	4	4	9	
Totals	91	- 19			-	-	
Oakland	AB	R	Н	_0.		30	Ave
Oakland	AB	R	Н	BH		SO	Avg
Oakland R.Henderson if	AB 4	R	H	BII	3B 5	1	.26
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson cf	AB 4 4 4	R 1 2	H 1 2	BI I	3B 5	1 0	.26
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson cf Canseco rf	AB 4 4 4	R 1 2 2	H 1 2 1	BI I 0 1 0	1 1 1	1 0 1	.26 .39 .27
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson cf Canseco rf Baines dh	AB 4 4 4 4 4	R 1 2 2 1	H 1 2 1 2	BII 0 1 0 1	1 1 0	1 0 1	.26 .39 .27 .23
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson of Canseco rf Baines dh b-Blankenship ph	AB 4 4 4 1 5	R12210	H 1 2 1 2 0	BII 0 1 0 1 0	1 1 1 0 0	0 1 0 1 1 0	.26 .39 .27 .23
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson cf Canseco rf Baines dh b-Blankenship ph Steinbach c	AB 4 4 4 1 5	R122100	H 1 2 1 2 0 0	BII 0 1 0 1 0 0	1 1 1 0 0	1 0 1 1 0 0	.26 .39 .27 .23 .22
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson of Canseco of Baines dh b-Blankenship ph Steinbach o McGwire 1b	AB 4 4 4 1 5	R1221001	H 1 2 1 2 0 0 0	BII 0 1 0 1 0 1 1	1 1 0 0 0 3	10011001	.26 .39 .27 .23 .22 .26
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson of Canseco of Baines dh b-Blankenship ph Steinbach o McGwire 1b Riles 3b	AB 4 4 4 1 5 1 5	R12210010	H 12120004	BII 0 1 0 0 1 4	1 1 1 0 0 0 3 0	10010010	.26 .39 .27 .23 .22 .26 .20
Oakland R.Henderson if D.Henderson of Canseco rf Baines dh b-Blankenship ph Steinbach c McGwire 1b Riles 3b Weiss ss	AB 4 4 4 4 1 5 1 5 2	R122100100	H121200040	BII 0 1 0 0 1 4 0	1 1 1 0 0 0 3 0 2	1001000	.26 .39 .27 .23 .22 .26 .20 .28
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for Baines in the 8th. c-lined out for Velarde in E-Espinoza 2 (6). LOBWNew York 5, Oakland 12. 2B-Je.Barfield (3), R.Henderson (1) Canseco (6), Baines (5), 3B-Riles (2), HR-Nokes (3), D. Henderson (7). RBI - Sax (12), Hall (9), Nokes (10), Meulens (5), D.Henderson (19), Baines (12), McGwire (6), Riles 4 (6). SB-Sax

Monteleone pitched to 1 batter in the 6th, Farr pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. Inherited runners-scored -- Monteleone 3-1 Cadaret 1-1, Guetterman 1-1, C.Young 1-0,

IBB-off Cadaret (McGwire) 1. WP-Moore. Umpires-Home, Merrill; First, McClelland;

### Athletics 7, Yankees 4

baseball's career stolen base leader with his 939th steal as Oakland de-

Dave Henderson hit his league-

New York	AB	R	Н	BI	BB 9	80	Av
Kelly cf	4	0	1	0	0	2	.27
Sax 2b	3	1	1	1	1	1	.28
Mattingly dh	4	0	1	0	0	1	.26
Maas 1b	3	1	1	0	1	1	.23
Hall rf	1	0	0	-1	0	0	.17
a-Je.Barfield rf	- 1	0	1	0	1	0	.30
Nokes c	1	1	1	-1	0	0	.31
Meulens If	4	0	1	- 1	0	2	.20
Velarde 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1	.13
c-Leyritz ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	.07
Espinoza ss	3	1	0	0	1	1	.34
Totals	31	4	7	4	4	9	-
Oakland	AB	R	H	BH	BB 5	SO	Av
R.Henderson If	4	1	1	0	1	1	.26
D.Henderson cf	4	2	2	1	1	0	.39
Canseco rf	4	2	1	0	1	1	.39
Baines dh	4	1	2	1	0	1	.23
b-Blankenship ph		0	0	0	0	0	.22
Steinbach c	5	0	0	0	0	0	.26
McGwire 1b	1	1	0	- 1	3	1	.20
Riles 3b	- 5	0	4	4	0	0	.28
Weiss ss	2	0	0	0	2	0	.25
Gallego 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1	.21
Totals	33	7	10	7	9	5	

Second, Denkinger; Third, Cedarstrom. T-3:24. A-36,139.

New York	AB	R	н	BI	BB 9	30	Av
Kelly cf	4	0	1	0	0	2	.27
Sax 2b	3	1	1	1	1	1	.28
Mattingly dh	4	0	-1	0	0	1	.26
Maas 1b	3	1	1	0	1	1	.23
Hall rf	1	0	0	-1	0	0	.17
a-Je.Barfield rf	1	0	-1	0	1	0	.23
Nokes c	4	1	-1	_1	0	0	.3
Meulens If	4	0	1	- 1	0	2	.20
Velarde 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1	.13
c-Leyritz ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	.07
Espinoza ss	3	1	0	0	1	1	.34
Totals	31	4	7	-4	4	9	
Oakland	AB	R	H	BII	BB S	SO	Av
R.Henderson If	4	1	1	0	1	1	.26
D.Henderson cf	4	2	2	1	-1	0	.39
Canseco rf	4	2	- 1	0	1	-1	.27
Baines dh	4	1	2	- 1	0	1	.23
b-Blankenship ph	- 1	0	0	0	0	0	.23
Steinbach c	- 5	0	-0	0	0	0	.20
McGwire 1b	-1	1	-0	- 1	3	-1	.20
Riles 3b	- 5	0	4	4	0	0	.28
Weiss ss	2	0	0	0	2	0	.25
Gallego 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1	.2
Totals	33	7	10	7	9	5	
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a-walked for Hall in the 6th, b-safe on error (4), R.Henderson (3), Canseco (6), Blankenship

SF—Hall, McGv		y (+	), m	пег	luei	301	2 (3).
Runners left in		100	neit	ion.	_N	aw'	York 3
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Riles, Weiss 3, 0				11.10	101	001	9011 2.1
New York	IP	H	RI	ERI	3B 5	08	ERA
Leary L. 2-1	33/3	6	5	3	7	5	4.99
Monteleone	11/3	2	1	1	1	0	4.05
Cadaret	1	1	0	0	1	0	4.97
Farr	- 1	1	1	0	0	0	3.38
Guetterman	1	0	0	0	0	0	1.17
Oakland	IP	H	RI	ERI	3B \$	60	ERA
Moore W, 4-0	51/3	5	4	4	3	4	3.26
C.Young	1/3	0	0	0	1	0	5.40
Chitren	11/3	1	0	0	0	2	0.00
Klink	2/3	0	0	0	0	2	1.86
Eckersley S, 8	11/3	1	0	0	0	-1	3.48

Brewers 10, White Sox 9 MILWAUKEE — Willie Randolph singled home the winning run with two outs in the 19th inning and Milwaukee outlasted Chicago in the longest American League game since the two teams played 25 innings in 1984.

Chicago Raines dh LJohnson cf Ventura 3b Thomas 1b Pasqua If a-Sosa rf Snyder rf Karkovice c c-Merullo c Guillen ss Fletcher 2b 3-Cora 2b Totals	AB 7 9 9 6 3 6 7 6 1 8 6 1 69	R 2012111001009	H33221220031019	201200200	BB 3 0 0 3 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 10	SO 0 2 0 1 1 2 1 1 0 2 0 0 10	Avg. .203 .234 .309 .314 .257 .233 .217 .286 .200 .294 .317 .167
Milwaukes Molitor dh Randolph 2b Yount cf Stubbs 1b Vaughn If Bichette rf Gantner 3b Dempsey c 1-Hamilton pr Surhoff c Sveum ss b-Brock ph 2-Spiers ss Totals	AB 6979998302501 68	R 0 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 0 0 1 0 1 10	H120324220110018	3 0	BB 412000020111012	SO 0 0 1 2 4 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 10	Avg. .311 .226 .313 .231 .263 .259 .259 .214 .219 .164 .056 .250

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Two outs when winning run scored. a-struck out for Pasqua in the 7th. b-walked for Sveum in the 15th, c-flied out for Karkovice

1-ran for Dempsey in the 11th. 2-ran for Brock in the 15th. 3-ran for Fletcher in the 17th. E-Guillen (4), Gantner (2). LOB-Chicago 16, Milwaukee 17, 2B - Thomas (4), Pasqua (1) Bichette (5), Dempsey (1). HR-Raines (1), Thomas (4), Stubbs (2). RBI — Raines 2 (5), Ventura (10), Thomas 2 (15), Snyder 2 (6), Guillen (6) Fletcher (15), Randolph 3 (3), Stubbs 3 (7), Gantner (9), Surhoff (4), Sveum (1). SB-Raines (4), Bichette (2), Gantner (1), Hamilton (2). CS-Bichette (2). S-Snyder, Karkovice, Spiers. SF-Fletcher, Gantner, Surhoff. GIDP-LJohnson, Ventura, Snyder, Fletcher, Vaughn

Runners left in scoring position—Chicago 6 (LJohnson 2, Ventura 2, Snyder, Merullo); Milwaukee 8 (Molitor, Randolph, Yount 3, Vaughn, Gantner, Sveum) DP-Chicago 2 (Guillen, Fletcher and Thomas), (Ventura, Fletcher and Thomas); Milwaukee 4 (Sveum, Randolph and Stubbs), (Gantner, Sveum and Stubbs), (Sveum, Randolph and Stubbs), (Randolph, Spiers and Stubbs). IP H RERBBSO ERA 0 0 29 0.00 Radinsky 0 0 0 3 2 3.65 0 22 8.3 Edwards L, 0-1 1 1 3 34 5.68 Milwaukee 3% 7 5 5 3 75 9.00 Knudson 21/5 0 0 0 1 31 3.31 Machado August W, 2-2

Inherited runners-scored-Pall 1-0, Drahman 2-1, Machado 2-0, IBB-off Thigpen (Molitor) 3, off Edwards (Molitor) 3, off Edwards (Molitor) 3, off Hibbard (Yount) 1, off Edwards (Surhoff) 1, off August Umpires-Home, Voltaggio; First, McKean;

Third, Joyce. T-6:05. A-13,973.

### Ripken's slight adjustment at plate paying big dividends in production

BY DAVID GINSBURG The Associated Press

BALTIMORE — Cal Ripken's abilities transcend mere stamina and deftness on defense. He's also proficient with a bat.

Last year, Ripken moved into second place behind Lou Gehrig on the all-time list of consecutive games played. He also set a majorleague record by playing 95 consecutive errorless games at shortstop.

Virtually overlooked was the fact that he had 20 homers and at least 80 runs batted in for the ninth consecutive year.

This season, he's hitting well again. Entering last night's game against Seattle, Ripken was batting .338 with five homers and leading the

American League with 20 RBI. Ripken is hitting at a time when his teammates are struggling at the plate. He has nearly one-third of the Orioles' 66 RBI, and Baltimore's team batting average is an anemic .218

before his numbers are factored in. The most surprising aspect of Ripken's offensive surge is its timing. A notoriously slow

starter, Ripken hit .224 last April. "In other years it seems like I'm always digging myself out of a hole sometime in May or June," he said. "This year, though, I had a good spring training and it carried over to the regular

season. Ripken hit a career-low .250 last year. Many blamed his consecutive games streak, which reached 1,429 games Tuesday. Ripken, however, insisted that fatigue had nothing to do with

Rather, he blamed his stance. So he made a subtle change, and the results have been profound.

'I'm spread out at the plate a little more and going back to the fundamentals of hitting," he said. "It's just a matter of waiting a bit longer and seeing the ball. When you do that, you

make good contact." Last season, Ripken repeatedly tinkered with his stance in an effort to find a solution to his woes. It did more harm than good.

"He kept changing things around and trying to do a little too much instead of just trying to get the good mechanics down and just letting things happen," manager Frank Robinson said. "He thought about it over the winter, then came to spring training with good mechanics and good basics. It's carried over into the regular season.

Ripken batted .380 and drove in 12 runs in 23 exhibition games. Once the season started, his solid hitting continued, as he reached the 20 RBI mark in 15 April games. Last season, Ripken drove in his 20th run in his 38th game.

"They're out there on base while I'm swinging the real well," he said. "Usually, it's the reverse — when I'm swinging well, no one is on base. Now I'm coming up with men on first and second.'

Ripken's fast start can be attributed partially to the offseason acquisitions of Glenn Davis and Dwight Evans. Although Davis is on the disabled list, having Evans behind him in the lineup means opposing pitchers can't pitch

around Ripken. More importantly, Ripken no longer feels the

need to carry the entire team with his bat. "Cal is more relaxed this year," Robinson said. "He's giving himself a chance to be successful. He was getting out a bit too quick last year and his bat was dragging. He just wasn't giving himself a good chance, mechanically, to hit the ball."

If Ripken keeps hitting well, the city of Baltimore stands to profit nicely. Monday, Ripken launched a campaign in which companies and individuals pledge to contribute to Baltimore's literacy program each time he hits a home run.

"My wife told me she's hoping I hit more homers than singles," Ripken said. "Considering that I hit about 120 singles a year, that would be one heck of a season."

### NOTES

AL

Henderson, Clemens honored Dave Henderson of the Oakland Athletics, among the league leaders in nine of 12 offensive categories, and Boston's Roger Clemens, riding a

shutout string of 30 consecutive innings, were selected American League player Henderson and pitcher of the month for

April Henderson had 29 hits to lead the league and was second in batting average at .387. He scored 17 runs and hit nine doubles and six home runs, sharing the lead in each of those categories. He led the league with a .747 slugging percentage and his 18 runs batted in were No. 2

in that category. Clemens won all four of his starts during April, striking out 34 batters in 32 innings. He allowed 17 hits and five walks and compiled an earned-run average of 0.28. He missed what would have been his fifth start in April when baseball commissioner Fay Vincent upheld a five-game suspension handed to Clemens by AL president Bobby Brown for his actions in Game 4 of last year's AL playoffs.

### NL

Dibble's shoulder ailing

Rob Dibble said he has had tendinitis in his throwing shoulder the last few weeks, and it's taken

a toll on his fastball. Cincinnati Reds reliever said he hadn't felt up to speed until Tuesday night, when he struck out the four Dibble batters he faced in a 4-3 victory against Pittsburgh. He said his fastball

was clocked at 99 mph. "This was the first night I really felt I let it go," Dibble said. Dibble did have second thoughts about his arm after his publicized throw Sunday, when

he heaved a baseball into the outfield seats after a bad performance. The ball hit a firstgrade teacher on the elbow. "I threw the ball 400 feet. I could have thrown my shoulder

out," Dibble said. "That was the scariest thing of all."

**Dodgers hire Hatcher** 

Mickey Hatcher, released by the Los Angeles Dodgers on March 24, was hired by the team to be a non-playing coach for their Pacific Coast League farm team in Albuquerque, N.M.

The Dodgers also announced the signing of veteran righthander Brian Holton to an Albuquerque contract. Holton, 31, has a lifetime big-league record of 20-19 with a 3.62 ERA in parts of seven seasons, five with the Dodgers. He was 2-3 with a 4.50 ERA with the Baltimore Orioles last year.

### NUMBERS

(Yesterday's games not included)

Craig Biggio, Hou 23 .359 Felix Jose, StL 28 .354 Tony Gwynn, SD 28 .341 10 Bill Doran, Cin 16 .333 Andre Dawson, Chi 79 10 26 .329 Will Clark, SF Fred McGriff, SD 77 12 25 .325 13 23 .319 72 Mike Scioscia, LA 11 20 .317 63 Todd Zeile, StL 8 20 .317 63

82 21 26 .317

**Pitching** 

Home runs Total bases Dawson, Chi Dawson, Chi Clark, SF Runs batted in Dykstra, Phil Clark, SF Samuel, LA Kruk, Phil Mitchell, SF Daniels, LA Bell, Chi Bonilla, Pitt Bonilla, Pitt Dawson, Chi Gwynn, SD Kruk, Phil

Van Slyke, Pitt DeShields, Mtl Dykstra, Phil Nixon, Atl Dascenzo, Ch Dunston, Chi Roberts, SD Gant, Atl Sanders, Atl O. Smith, StL Slugging pct.

Len Dykstra, Phil

Viola, NY Belcher, LA Harnisch, Hou 1.05 De. Martnz, Mtl 1.23 Morgan, LA Hammond, Cin 1.64 Hurst, SD Martinez, LA DeLeon, StL Boskie, Chi Won-lost 10 tied

Dawson, Chi

Joe Carter, Tor

Yount, Mil

Carter, Tor

Fletcher, Chi

Whiten, Tor

6 tied

Winfield, Cal

Polonia, Cal

Pettis, Tex

Alomar, Tor

Canseco, Oak

Slugging pct.

Briley, Sea

Cotto, Sea

Yount, Mil

Edgar Martinez, Sea D. Henderson, Oak Brian Downing, Tex Kirby Puckett, Minn M. MacFarlane, KC Cal Ripken, Balt 23 .338

Total bases Home runs D. Hendrsn, Oak 56 Gibson, KC D. Hendrsn, Oak Yount, Mil Deer, Det Carter, Tor C. Ripken, Balt C. Ripken, Balt Vaughn, Mil Puckett, Minn Yount, Mil Martinez, Sea Gibson, KC Greenwell, Bos Runs batted in Phillips, Det C. Ripken, Balt White, Tor Pitching

Clemens, Bos 0.28 Gordon, KC 0.47 Candiotti, Clev 1.24 Bolton, Bos Hibbard, Chi Nagy, Clev Welch, Oak Stolen bases Key, Tor Bosio, Mil 2 tied Won-lost

Clemens, Bos Finley, Cal Key, Tor McDowell, Chi D. Hendrsn, Oak.747 C. Ripken, Balt .632 Moore, Oak Timlin, Tor Martinez, Sea .574 Welch, Oak

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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West Division Cincinnati Reds	Won 11	Lost 9	Pct. .550	GB	vs. Div. 7-7	Home 6-5	Lst.10 5-5	Str L1
San Diego Padres	12	10	.545	_	10-6	5-5	4-6	WI
Los Angeles Dodgers	10	11	.476	11/2	10-9	4-6	5-5	L2
Atlanta Braves	9	10	.474	11/2	8-8	2-6	6-4	W
Houston Astros	8	12	.400	3	8-10	5-4	3-7	L2
San Francisco Giants	8	13	.381	31/2	8-11	5-4	3-7	1.3
East Division Pittsburgh Pirates	Won 14	Lost 7	Pct. .667	G8	vs. Div. 13-6	Home 7-3	Lst.10 8-2	Str. VV1
St. Louis Cardinals	13	9	.591	11/2	11-8	9-4	7-3	1_1
New York Mets	12	9	.571	2	11-8	7-5	6-4	1.1
Chicago Cubs	11	11	.500	31/2	9-8	7-3	4-6	VV2
Philadelphia Phillies	10	12	.455	45/8	5-11	8-4	6-4	W5
Montreal Expos	8	13	.381	6	7-13	5-6	3-7	W3

Yesterday Atlanta 5, at St. Louis 4 (10) at Chicago 11, Houston 8 Pittsburgh 6, at Cincinnati 4 at Montreal 9, Los Angeles 3

Braves 5, Cardinals 4

losing streak.

ST. LOUIS - David Justice

with one out in the 10th inning and

Jeff Treadway's single sent Nixon

to third. Scott Terry relieved with a

2-0 count on Ron Gant and com-

pleted the walk. Second baseman

stop on Justice's grounder, but his

Kent Mercker, the third Atlanta

Notes -- St. Louis relievers

pitcher, gained the victory by allow-

ing one hit in the final 1% innings.

Todd Worrell and Frank DiPino, on

the disabled list since the start of

the season, will begin rehabilitation

tomorrow at Louisville. . . . The

Cardinals were trying for their first

three-game sweep at home since

1989 against Philadelphia. . . . St.

Louis outfielder Felix Jose is 1 for

14 since being chosen NL player of

the week. . . . Juan Agosto, who

held the Braves hitless in the eighth

and ninth, leads the majors with 15

AB R H BIBBSO Avg.

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4 0 2 1 1 0 .272

4 1 2 3 0 0 .254

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IP H RERBBSO ERA

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IP H RERBBSO ERA

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4 1 4 3.44

2 0 3.46

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a-grounded out for Avery in the 7th. b-safe on

E-Belliard (4). LOB-Atlanta 6, St. Louis 7

2B-CWilson (1), OSmith (3), Gilkey (2), Zeile (4). HR-Bream (3), Pagnozzi (1). RBIs-

LoSmith (1), Justice (11), Bream 3 (11), Gilkey

(6), Pagnozzi 3 (7). SB—LoSmith (1). CS—Nixon (3). GIDP—OSmith.

(Bream 3); St. Louis 5 (OSmith, Jose 3, Perry).

Inherited runners-scored - Terry 3-1.

Second, Layne; Third, Hirschbeck.

Phillies 4, Giants 1

consecutive victory.

McGee cf

Decker c

Anderson ss

a-Kingery ph

Robinson p

Philadelphi

Dykstra cf

VHayes II

Kruk 1b

Murphy rf

CHayes 3b

Thon ss

Greene p

b-Morris ph

San Francisco

Murphy, Thon).

San Francisco

LaCoss L, 1-2

Greene W, 1-0

McDowell S. 1

**TWilson** 

Righetti

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IP H RERBBSO ERA

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IP H RERBBSO ERA

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2 2 1 1 1 2 3.54

a-walked for Wilson in the 5th. b-flied out for

Greene in the 6th. c-singled for Robinson in the

LOB—San Francisco 6, Philadelphia 7, 3B-

Kruk (1). RBIs-WClark (22), Murphy (14)

Morandini (1), Thon (6), Greene (1), SB-Mur-

Runners left in scoring position—San Fran-

DP-Philadelphia 1 (CHayes, Morandini and

LaCoss pitched to 2 batters in the 3rd.

Inherited runners-scored—TWilson 1-1.

Umpires-Home, Rippley; First, Hohn; Sec-

HBP-by Greene (RThompson).

ond, Tata; Third, Crawford

T-2:37. A-17,281.

cisco 1 (RThompson); Philadelphia 4 (VHayes 2,

phy (1), Daulton (2). GIDP-Mitchell

12 28 .337

Morandini 2b

MaWilliams 3b

out five and walked two.

T-2:50. A-27,043.

HBP-by BSmith (LoSmith). WP-BSmith.

Umpires-Home, McSherry; First, Davis;

PHILADELPHIA - Tommy

Greene, an emergency starter

when Jose DeJesus arrived with a

sore back, pitched six shutout inn-

ings and drove in a run as Philadel-

phia beat San Francisco for its fifth

Greene gave up two hits, struck

Notes - The Phillies won five

consecutive for the first time since

Aug. 19-22, 1987. . . . It was the

first start of the season for Greene

who had pitched 20% innings in

Runners left in scoring position—Atlanta 3

DP-Atlanta 2 (LoSmith and Bream), (Pen-

error for BSmith in the 7th. c-flied out for Sand-

ers in the 8th. d-doubled for Agosto in the 9th.

1-ran for Wilson in the 9th.

dleton, Heath and Bream)

Mercker W, 1-1

St. Louis

1 0

0

0 0

appearances.

Nixon cf

Bream 1b

Belliard ss

Mercker p

a-Willard ph

Berenguer p

Blauser ss

St. Louis

Hudler cf

d-CWilson ph

1-TJones pr

OSmith ss

Gilkey If

Pena 2b

Pagnozzi c

Pendleton 3b

Treadway 2b

only play was at first base.

Tuesday at Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 3 at Montreal 1, Los Angeles 0 at Chicago 10, Houston 3 at Philadelphia 11, S.F. 9 at Philadelphia 4, San Francisco 1 at New York 6, San Diego 3 San Diego 8, at New York 7 at St. Louis 5, Atlanta 3

Tomorrow

St. Louis at Cincinnati, 6:35 p.m. San Diego at Montreal, 6:35 p.m. L.A. at Philadelphia, 6:35 p.m. Houston at Pittsburgh, 6:35 p.m. Chicago at Atlanta, 6:40 p.m. S.F. at New York, 6:40 p.m.

No games scheduled

Cubs 11, Astros 8

CHICAGO — Hector Villanueva broke a 10th-inning tie with a runhit two home runs and Andre Dawscoring groundout as Atlanta beat son added a three-run homer, St. Louis and ended a three-game powering Chicago to victory against Houston. Mike Perez walked Otis Nixon

Dawson and Villanueva hit consecutive homers in a five-run first inning for the Cubs. Villanueva homered again in the third after Dawson doubled off loser Jim Deshaies. Geronimo Pena then made a diving

The homers gave Villanueva five consecutive hits, including a homer, double and single in his last three at-bats Tuesday night. He grounded out in the fourth inning to break the string.

Winner Greg Maddux went eight innings, giving up nine hits and seven runs, four of them earned.

Notes - The Cubs won their seventh consecutive home game. . . . Rookie Luis Gonzalez hit a pair of two-run homers for the Astros --- his first two homers in the ma-

AB R H BIBBSO Avg. 5 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 .191 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 .273 Nichols c 4 3 2 0 0 0 .368 Biggio c 0 0 0 0 0 0 1.000 Schilling p d-Ramirez ph 5 0 0 0 0 0 .250 Rhodes rf Bagwell 1b b-Oberkfell 1b Gonzalez If McLemore 2b Clancy p a-Rohde ph 0 0 0 .277 c-Candaele cf 4 1 1 1 0 0 .264 3 2 2 2 1 0 .218 Sandberg 2b Grace 1b DwSmith rf Dawson rf Dascenzo If Villanueva c **Dunston** ss GScott 3b 4 1 1 0 0 1 .214 Maddux p Slocumb p 36 11 12 10 5 5 ..... 000 301 031- 8 10 Chicago . . . . . . . . 502 130 00x-11 12

singled for Bagwell in the 6th. c-lined out for Corsi in the 6th. d-walked for Schilling in the 9th. -Finley (1), Caminiti 2 (4), Rhodes (2), Bagwell (3), GScott (2), LOB-Houston 5, Chicago 9. 2B - Biggio (2), Candaele (4), Walton (4), Sandberg (4), Dawson (5). HR—Gonzalez 2 (2), Dawson (6), Villanueva 2 (3). RBIs - Rhodes (7), Oberkfell 2 (3), Gonzalez 4 (7), Walton (5), Sandberg 2 (4), GBell (13), Dawson 3 (20), Villanueva 3 (7). S-Deshaies. SF-Walton Sandberg, GBell. GIDP-GScott. Runners left in scoring position—Houston 3

a-grounded out for Clancy in the 4th. b-

(Finley 2, McLemore); Chicago 5 (GBell 2, Dawson, Villanueva, GScott). DP-Houston 1 (Caminiti, McLemore and IP H RERBBSO ERA Clancy

8 9 7 4 1 2 3.93

Deshaies pitched to 3 batters in the 3rd. Inherited runners-scored—Clancy 1-0. WP-Slocumb. PB-Biggio. Balk-Schill-Umpires-Home, Bonin; First, Froemming; Second, Rapuano; Third, DeMuth.

### Padres 8, Mets 7

T-2:45. A-17,606.

Maddux W. 3-1

NEW YORK --- Bruce Hurst improved to 3-0 and singled in a run as San Diego beat Frank Viola and New York to snap a four-game losing streak.

Notes -- Hurst scattered 10 hits in 7% innings, in raising his career record to 4-1 against the Mets. . . . Viola dropped to 1-4 lifetime against the Padres.

AB R H BIBBSO Avg. TFernandez ss McGriff 1b DrJackson Templeton 3b Coleman of Herr 2b Magadan 1b Johnson 3b McReynolds If 000 023 300-8 9 003 000 022-7 12

a-flied out for Simons in the 8th, b-doubled for Miller in the 9th E-DrJackson (1), Hurst (1), Johnson (8) Cerone (1), Miller (2), Viola (1), LOB - San Diego 8, New York 6. 2B-Roberts (3), Cerone (4) Boston (1). HR-McGriff (3), RBIs-McGriff 3 (11), DrJackson (3), Templeton (1), Hurst (1) Coleman (6), Herr 2 (7), Magadan (9), Brooks (8) Cerone 2 (6). SB-Coleman (12). S-DrJackson 2. SF-Brooks.

Runners left in scoring position—San Diego 5 (Roberts 4, Santiago); New York 3 (Brooks, Johnson, Carreon). San Diego Hurst W, 3-0 7% 10 5 5 1 2 2.95 Andersen 1/3 1 1 1 0 0 1.23 Lefferts S, 6 IP H RERBBSO ERA **New York** Viola L, 3-1 6 8 7 5 4 4 1.93 1 0 0 0 0 2 3.43 Whitehurst Viola pitched to 2 batters in the 7th, Innis pitched to 1 batter in the 7th, Andersen pitched to 1 batter in the 9th.

Inherited runners-scored - Andersen 1-0, Lefferts 1-2, Simons 2-2, Innis 2-1. IBB—off Hurst (Magadan) 1, off Viola (Abner) 2, off Simons (Abner) 2. WP-Lefferts. PB-Umpires-Home, Rennert; First, Darling;

Second, Harvey; Third, Quick

T-3:04. A-19,952.

Expos 9, Dodgers 3

MONTREAL -- Chris Nabholz pitched six strong innings and Montreal took advantage of Los Angeles' sloppy defense.

Nabholz gave up two runs, six hits, struck out a career-high seven and walked two. Scott Fuskin, Bark ry Jones and Steve Frey finished for the Expos.

Notes -- Tim Belcher had 0.91

ERA coming into the game... Former Expo Gary Carter hit his first homer of the season in the seventh. Samuel 2b Strawberry rf c-Javier ph-If d-LHarris ph-3b Scioscia c e-CGwynn ph Griffin ss AB R H BIBBSO AVE. Calderon If Ruskin p BJones p Wallach 3b DaMartinez cf Foley 1b Reyes c Owen ss Nabhoiz p b-Bullock ph 

a-grounded out for Belcher in the 4th. bsingled for Nabholz in the 6th, c-walked for Daniels in the 7th, d-grounded into fielder's choice for Hamilton in the 7th, e-grounded out for Hartley in the 7th.

E-Samuel (2), Strawberry (2), Daniels (0) (4), Hamilton (2), DaMartinez (2). 3B -- Butler (1) HR-Garter (1), RBis-Hamilton (5), Scioscial (10), Carter (1), DeShields (7), Calderon 2 (17), Wallach (5), DaMartinez 2 (7), Foley (3), SB--DeShlelds (22), Calderon (4), SF-Calderon. GIDP-Wallach, Foley, Nabholi

Runners left in scoring position—Los Ango

Montreal 5 (Wallach, Foley, Reyes 2, Owen). Samuel), (Samuel, Griffin and Murray). (Hamil Belcher L, 3-2 Crews Hartley

Nabholz W, 1-3

Crews pitched to 4 batters in the 6th Inherited runners-scored -- Hartley 3-1, BJones 3-0. HBP--by Betcher (Wallach), WP- Grews, Umpires---Home, Hallion; First, West: Second, Winters; Third, Gregg.

T-2:55. A-11, 106. Pirates 6, Reds 4

gled home the tying run in the eighth inning and executed a couble steal with Bobby Bonilla for the game winner as Pittsburgh ralled to beat Cincinnati. Randy Myers failed to hold a one-

CINCINNATI --- Barry Bonds sin-

run lead in the eighth, blowing a save for the second time in five chances.

Notes -- Jay Bell bit his first home run of the season in the ninth off Myers for an insurance run. Palacios had allowed just five hits and no earned runs in his two starts. The right-hander came into the game with a streak of 16% shutout

Pittsburgh Merced 1b JBell ss Van Slyke of Kipper p Landrum p a-Varsho ph Cincinnat O'Neill rf f-Quinones ph

out for Heaton in the 7th, c-struck out for Powe singled for Morris in the 9th, 1-popped out for E-O'Neill (1), LOB-Pittsburgh 6, Cincinnati 7. 2B-Bonilla (7), Sabo (3), Morris (8) 3B-Larkin (1), HR-JBell (1), Bonilla (4), Larkin (4). RBIs-JBell (6), Bonilla (18), Bonds 2

Bonilla (2), Bonds (3), Sabo (3), Larkin (2), O'Neill (2). CS-Larkin (1). S-Winningham. SF-King, JReed. Runners left in scoring position - Pittsburgh 3 (Wilkerson 3); Cincinnati 4 (O'Neill, Morris 2. Pittsburgh IP H RERBESO ERA Belinda W. 2-1

Palacios Landrum S. 3 Cincinnati Myers L, 0-2 Inherited reners-scored -- Landrum 1-0; Umpires Mome, Wendelstedt; First, Reff

T-2:46. A-25,231

ford; Second, Williams; Tourd, Marsh,

# Scouting report on Clemens on the mark

The Associated Press

The first time Joe Morgan saw Roger Clemens, he knew there was potential. But to predict all that would follow, no one could have known.

It was eight years ago, when Clemens was pitching his team toward the College World Series championship. Morgan had been promoted to a scout by the Boston Red Sox, and his first trip took him to Texas.

Here's the report Boston's future manager filed on May 16, 1983: "Above-average fastball. Heavy ball that has hop to it. Good slider. Could pitch high in the strike zone with his fastball. Summary: Could be a definite power pitcher."

Not bad, Joe. Still, ever wonder what Clemens would have done with a good fastball?

These days, the reports might all look the same. Except when he's facing Dave Stewart or fighting Terry Cooney, here's what they would say: "Highest-paid player in baseball. Future Hall of Famer. In his prime and getting better. Could become the best pitcher in history."

Bob Feller might disagree. Or perhaps Sandy Koufax. Certainly Ron Kittle wouldn't argue --- he's 0 for 14 with 10 strikeouts lifetime against Clemens.

This season, Clemens has made nearly everyone K like Kittle. He has done it with an improved forkball that dips into the dirt and a mix of up-and-down fastballs — as the players call it, "high heat" and

"cheese at the knees." Plus, there's a change that those around Clemens sense, one that could be working in his favor. He seems more relaxed, more at ease when he's not pitching. The security of his \$21.5 million, four-year contract may be the reason.

"On the mound, he's got the same intensity," Red Sox general manager Lou Gorman said. "Off the mound, so far, he's keyed down a little bit."

Clemens, recently indicted by a grand jury on charges stemming from an off-season scuffle with offduty policeman at Bayou Mama's nightclub in Houston, isn't convinced he's any different.

"I'm not trying to improve my image to anybody," he said this spring. "My friends and family know who I am. I'm a person, just like anyone else. I hurt. I don't want to be a superstar."

Too bad, because he is.

When Clemens comes back tomorrow night in Chicago after his five-game suspension, Cooney will be at Comiskey Park, too. Clemens hopes his reputation of being an umpire-baiter is behind him because he wants to concentrate on good streaks, not mean ones.

Clemens is halfway to Hershiser with 30 consecutive scoreless innings. He hasn't given up a home run to right-handed hitter since Jose Canseco connected on Sept. 15, 1989. He hasn't allowed more than two earned runs in his last 17 starts.

At 4-0 with an 0.28 ERA, Roger is on a roll. In 32 innings, he has struck out 34, walked just two and permitted only 17 hits. If those sound like Denny McLain-style stats from 1968, they are. And Clemens is aware of it.

"To win 30 games, you have to have runs and you have to stay healthy," he said.

He has had trouble in both departments. He had shoulder surgery in 1985, and later back problems. Last year, he missed a month because of tendinitis in his right shoulder.

No matter, he finished 21-6 with a 1.93 ERA, joining Luis Tiant as the only Red Sox pitchers with an under-2.00 ERA in 70 years. He did it despite being Boston's worst-supported starter, getting just 4.23 runs per game.

This season, the Red Sox have scored even less, only 14 runs in his four games. As if he needs more, as if he wasn't in a class by himself.

There was a time when people compared Clemens to his contemporaries. Guys like Gooden and Viola, Saberhagen and Stewart.

On the surface, Gooden might

seem close, or even slightly ahead. It has been that way since they both broke into the majors in 1984.

Gooden, age 26, is 122-47 (.722) with a career 2.81 ERA. In 1,560 2-3 innings, he's walked 457 and struck out 1,430.

Clemens, at 28, is 120-51 (.702) with a 2.84 ERA. In 1,545 innings, he has walked 430 and struck out 1,458.

They are each on course to break the all-time record for winning percentage with at least 200 decisions, held by Whitey Ford (.690). So it looks even, right?

Consider that the Mets, in games since 1984 without Gooden, are still a .566 team. The Red Sox, meanwhile, merely win at a .501 clip without Clemens.

Well, not really.

Also, look at where they each perform. Gooden plays at Shea Stadium, a pitcher's paradise, while Clemens is at Fenway Park, one of the best ballparks for batters.

And while Clemens is facing guys likes Dave Parker, Harold Baines, Alvin Davis and other designated hitters who add an average of a halfrun per game in the American League, Gooden gets to mow down pitchers such as Don Carman (a career .059 hitter), Terry Mulholland (.069) and Mike Bielecki (.076).

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### RANGERS NUMBERS

Rangers 3, Blue Jays 0

Toronto White cf R.Alomar 2b Gruber 3b Carter If Olerud 1b Whiten rf G.Hill dh Myers c M.Lee ss Totals	AB 4 4 2 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	R0000000000	H0000000000	B10000000000	BB 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 2	SO 3 3 1 1 1 1 3 2 1 16	Avg. .316 .244 .250 .329 .250 .293 .333 .231 .250
Texas	AB	R	H	BI	BB	SO	Avg.
Pettis cl	4	1	1	0	0	2	.286
Daugherty If	4	0	1	0	0	1	.143
Palmeiro 1b	4	1	2	0	0	0	.329
Sierra rf	4	1	1	2	0	1	.271
Franco 2b	4	0	0	0	0	1	.225
Gonzalez dh	3	0	1	0	0	0	.412
Stanley c	3	0	-1	0	- 1	. 0	.235
Buechele 3b	4	0	1	0	0	- 1	.255
Huson ss	2	0	0	0	0	- 1	.233
Totals	32	3	8	2	1	7	
Toronto			. 00			000-	0 0 3

E—Gruber (2), Myers (1), M.Lee (5), Palmeiro (1). LOB—Toronto 2, Texas 8. 2B—Gonzalez (3), Stanley (1). HR—Sierra (5). RBI—Sierra 2 (15). SB—Pettis (8).

CS-Gonzalez (1). S-Huson. Runners left in scoring position—Texas 4 (Sierra, Buechele, Huson 2). Key L, 4-1 MacDonald HBP-by Fraser (Gonzalez)

Umpires-Home, Tschida; First, Coble; Second, Shulock; Third, Johnson. T-2:25. A-33,439.

Tuesday's late how

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Toronto

White cf	5	0	2	1	0	0	.333
R.Alomar 2b	4	- 1	1	0	0	0	.256
Gruber 3b	5	1	1	0	0	1	.257
Carter If	3	1	0	0	2	0	.337
Olerud 1b	3	-1	0	0	2	1	.262
Whiten rf	4	1	3	4	0	1	.309
G.Hill dh	4	0	1	0	0	0	.381
Myers c	3	0	1	0	0	0	.245
a-Borders c	- 1	0	- 1	0	0	0	.071
M.Lee ss	3	0	1	0	1	1	.262
Totals	35	5	11	5	5	4	_
Texas	AB	R	н	BI	BB	so	Avg.
Downing dh	3	1	0	0	1	0	.350
Petralli c	4	o	2	ŏ	ò	ő	.231
Palmeiro 1b	2	2	1	1	1	1	.318
Sierra rf	4	2	2	5	0	o	.273
Franco 2b	3	1	1	Ö	1	ŏ	.239
Reimer If	3	ó	- 1	ŏ	0	1	.256
Pettis cf	1	ŏ	0	ŏ	Ö	- i	.289
Gonzalez cf	4	1	2	1	Ö	Ö	.429
Buechele 3b	2	0	1	0	1	Ö	.255
Huson ss	4	1	2	1	Ó	ŏ	.244
Totals	30	8	12	8	4	3	-
Toronto			000	203	01	0-5	11 0
Texas							

a-singled for Myers in the 8th. E-K.Brown (1). LOB-Toronto 9, Texas 5. 2B-Whiten (2), Huson (1). HR-Sierra 2 (4). RBI-White (13), Whiten 4 (14), Palmeiro (11), Sierra 5 (13), Gonzalez (5), Huson (6). SB-Sierra (1), Franco (2), CS-Gruber (3), Buechele (1). S--RAlomar, Downing, Buechele. SF-Palmeiro, GIDP-Gonzalez, Buechele, Runners left in scoring position—Toronto 4 (RAlomar,

Olerud 2, Myers); Texas 2 (Downing, Relmer). DP-Toronto 2 (M.Lee, R.Alomar and Olerud), (Gruber, R.Alomar and Olerud) Acker L, 0-1 Texas K.Brown Jo.Barfield Gossage W, 2-0

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Averages

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Saves: Texas 5 (Russell 5), Opponents 4. Shutouts:Texas 2, Opponents 3. Complete games: Texas 1 (Witt), Opponents 1. Home attendance: 222,176 (9 dates, 24,686 avg.) Last year: 196,596 (9 dates, 21,844 avg.)

# Palmer not likely to get early call

BY T.R. SULLIVAN Fort Worth Star-Telegram

ARLINGTON — Dean Palmer's 11 home runs in his first 17 games have not gone unnoticed by Texas Rangers general manager Tom Grieve, but don't look for the Oklahoma City third baseman to be promoted to the majors anytime soon.

Barring injury, it might be September before Palmer makes it to Arlington Stadium as Grieve would prefer the 22-year-old slugger to follow the same path as Juan Gonzalez did in getting to the major leagues.

Gonzalez stayed with the Oklahoma City 89ers until Aug. 31 last year, hitting 29 home runs and driving in 101 runs before getting the call to Texas.

"I like what happened to Juan," Grieve said. "He had 29 home runs and 101 RBI at Oklahoma City, he came up here and played good in September, and he's playing good now. It looks like he's here to stay. I'm glad Dino's hitting the ball, and I'm glad he's off to a great start.

"There's nothing wrong with playing great baseball in Triple A when you're 22 years old and waiting for your opportunity," Grieve added. "But there are two things that have to happen to get to the major leagues — one is good performance and the other is good opportunity. Right now there is not an opportunity."

The opportunity is being blocked by Rangers third baseman Steve Buechele, who is hitting .255 (although with just three RBI in 51 atbats) and playing superb defense.

"Boo is a very steady player,"

tition among men is one of the oldest

practices known to man," Brock

said. "Today, you might be the

greatest competitior that ever ran

the bases, and I congratulate you.

You are a legend in your own time.

record was delayed by a stint on the

disabled list earlier in the season,

walked in the first inning but was

thrown out by Nokes as he tried to

said of the first attempt. "I was put-

"I really wanted to get it over," he

Henderson, whose pursuit of the

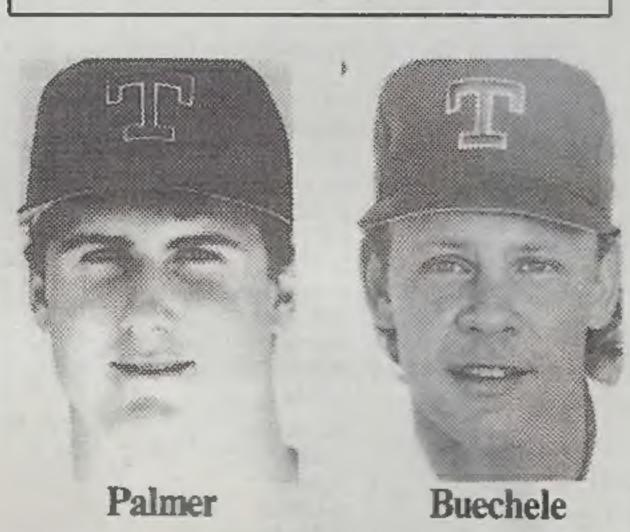
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Record

Congratulations."

steal second.

Rangers notes



Grieve said. "People around the league may take him for granted, but we don't around here because we see him every day. We see the runs he saves with the plays he makes at third, plus the fact he can hit the ball out of the park 15-18 times. That's a valuable player."

The scenario to watch is how Palmer's play at Oklahoma City this year and with the Rangers in Sepre-sign Buechele, who can become a free agent after the season. But Grieve added that Palmer's play is only one factor in that decision, and he can still envision a team that includes both Palmer and Buechele on the roster. Although Palmer is playing third base at Oklahoma City, there's still no guarantee that will be his position in the majors.

"I don't know if you can make a commitment to a 22-year-old as far as a position is concerned," Grieve said. "Dino has shown he can play first, the outfield, DH as well as third. If Dino makes his mark in major-league baseball, it will most

ting too much pressure on myself. I

wasn't really getting a good push

In the fourth, he reached on a

grounder that went through short-

stop Alvaro Espinoza's legs for an

error, took second on an infield sin-

gle by Dave Henderson, remained

there for Jose Canseco's flyout and

took off for third on a 1-0 pitch with

It was the 216th steal of third for

Henderson has credited his suc-

Henderson, his 42nd against the

cess to Davey Lopes, now a Texas

Rangers coach, and Milwaukee

Brewers manager Tom Trebelhorn,

who managed Henderson during his

first two seasons in the minor

Yankees and his third off Nokes.

Harold Baines batting.

likely be offensively. And if he does fulfill his potential and makes that mark, there will be a place for him to play."

Grieve, Moss plan meeting

Grieve and agent Dick Moss are trying to schedule a face-to-face meeting sometime in the next two weeks to get Nolan

Ryan's contract resolved for next year. Although the contract talks have gone slower than they did last year, Grieve said he does not want to wait until after the season to reach an agreement.

"Our goal is to work something out right now," Grieve said.

Injury report

Rangers manager Bobby Valentine is hoping to have Denny Walling off the disabled list when the team travels to Detroit this weekend but is waiting to hear from both Walling and Oklahoma City manager Tommy Thompson.

"When Denny feels the same as what Tommy sees, then we'll not waste another minute," Valentine said.

Mario Diaz was supposed to start at shortstop against Toronto left-hander Jimmy Key last night but was scratched because of a virus. . . . Geno Petralli was tember affects the team's decision to available for duty despite a bruise on his right knee. . . . Gonzalez was limited to designated-hitter duty because of a tight right hamstring muscle.

Briefly

Jose Guzman allowed seven hits and two runs in seven innings of an extended spring training game yesterday. Guzman will work out with the Rangers today at Arlington Stadium before making his first start at Oklahoma City on Monday. . . Port Charlotte pitcher Darren Oliver, one of

the Rangers' top minor-league prospects, was placed on the disabled list with a tender left elbow.... Left-handed reliever Guillermo Hernandez, one-time Cy Young winner and American League most valuable player, signed a Triple-A contract with Toronto yesterday. Hernandez, 36, who last pitched in the majors in 1989 with Detroit, will report to the Syracuse Chiefs of the International League.

leagues. Henderson also had warm words for former New York Yankees manager Billy Martin, who died in December 1989.

"Billy Martin made me believe I could go out and break records," Henderson said. "He put his heart behind me. He was like a father to me, and I think I was like a son to

The A's rewarded Henderson for his achievement with a gift of a 1991 Porsche and a \$75,000 donation to several charities designated by Hen-

Henderson said he would celebrate his record by breaking open a bottle of champagne that he received 16 years ago after graduat-

ing from high school.

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home run of the season. From then on, the action and attention surrounded Ryan's crackling fastball and a mean breaking

Lee led off the ninth inning with a

grounder to second baseman Julio Franco. Devon White worked a full count, then hit a high chopper to Ryan for the second out. That brought up Roberto Alomar, who struck out to end the game.

Ryan threw four no-hitters during his years with the California Angels, tying the career mark set by the Los Angeles Dodgers' Sandy Koufax. He broke the record with his fifth no-hitter while pitching for the

Houston Astros against the Dodgers

It's the fourth no-hitter in Rangers history. Besides Ryan's two, Jim Bibby and Bert Blyleven also threw no-hitters. The last nohitter in Arlington Stadium came on the last day of the 1984 season when the California Angels' Mike Witt threw a perfect game against the



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# Crenshaw has designs on charting a new course for his career

Some people prepare for golf tournaments by banging balls until their calluses bleed. Ben Crenshaw geared up for the GTE Byron Nelson Classic by spending two weeks poring over blueprints.

Crenshaw, 39, has gotten heavily into golf course design in recent years. His most recent finished project, a second 18-hole layout at Austin's Barton Creek Country Club, opened April 1. The Nov. 13-16 Kapalua International will be played, for the first time, on Crenshaw's recently completed Plantation Course.

As the years roll along, Crenshaw expects to spend more time atop bulldozers and less atop leader boards. Even now, it can make for tough decisions.

"I didn't know I'd love architecture as much as I have," said Crenshaw, defending champion of the Southwestern Bell Colonial. "I love the field work. That's why you do

"Sitting on top of a bulldozer, trying to get 18 completely different ideas, is fascinating. It's like putting together a puzzle. You're an artist, and you have the biggest canvas in the world."

In deference to his latest diversion, Crenshaw has curtailed his Professional Golfers' Association Tour schedule to 22 events this season. He plans to follow suit for two more



Jimmy Burch Pro golf

years, then cut back. Maybe retire.

"This is my 17th year. Certainly, a few more architecture days is part of the equation. I can't play as full a schedule as I once did," said the man with the erratic driver and deadly putter.

What is the signature of a Crenshaw course? Huge greens, to put a premium on putting, and wide fairways, to minimize tee-box errors, said fellow Austinite Tom Kite, who recently played the new Barton Creek layout.

"Those were the biggest greens I've seen except for Champions [Golf Club in Houston]," Kite said. "They were 8,000 [square feet] if they were an inch.

"If you think what kind of course Ben would design for himself, that's it. Big greens and wide fairways."

Expect Crenshaw to add many more large greens and wide fairways to the golfing world. Just don't count on him to be a PGA Tour fixture much longer.

Here's one footnote on Colonial Country Club's induction of six black members, which assures the club of holding its Southwestern Bell Colonial date if the PGA Tour — as anticipated — adopts a "no blacks, no tournament" policy. Members of the Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce do not intend to stop there.

"By this time next year, you probably will see a similar number again. Maybe more," said Dee Jennings, the chamber's chairman of the board.

Colonial president Wally Schmuck said the door remains open to all who are inter-

Payne Stewart, defending Nelson champion, said his wife, Tracey Ferguson, has reaped one huge benefit from the neck injury that kept him off the tour two months.

"My cooking's gotten a lot better," Stewart said. "I'm working on sauces now, trying to master the blackened style. I use cast-iron skillets, the whole bit. I've gotten pretty darn good."

He concedes, however, that Cajun master chef Paul Prudhomme has little to worry about. Just as Stewart, no doubt, would have little to sweat if the 350-pound Prudhomme challenged him to a \$50 Nassau.

ing higher than normal scores for

this week's GTE Byron Nelson Clas-

sic because of faster greens, inces-

storm (forecast for today is 20 per-

cent), Tom Watson and defending

champ Payne Stewart said yester-

day, an even-par score of 280 for

four rounds over the 6,850-yard lay-

out at the Tournament Players

Course at Las Colinas could be

First-round play begins today.

would be a good score," Stewart

said. "The rough is high, and there

aren't many trees to block the wind,

like there are at Colonial [Country

Stewart said he hit a 1-iron to the

"That'll get your attention," said

The course "is playing a lot longer

"Less than double figures [under

par will win. Maybe a lot less," said

Watson, who concurred that even

par would be difficult to achieve in

high winds. "I expect to see the high-

Since moving the tournament to

Las Colinas, the highest winning

score posted by a Nelson champion

was Craig Stadler's 4-under 276 in

be announced as unanimous.

Windegger said that to his knowl-

edge there are no stumbling blocks

that would keep Tulane from being

admitted. Jacoby said the league has

gathered all the information it needs

about the New Orleans-based pri-

tive report distributed to each SWC

president that details Tulane's via-

bility. He did not make a recom-

mendation. Jacoby said he didn't

know and wouldn't speculate on

In other matters, the athletic di-

rectors said they support the basket-

ball coaches on hiring a director of

basketball operations. They re-

quested that Jacoby draw up a job

description that can be reviewed at

The athletic directors agreed on a

the spring meetings.

how the presidents would vote.

Jacoby has submitted an execu-

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par-3, 217-yard 17th hole in Tues-

day's shootout and still wound up 45

Stewart, who won last year's rain-

shortened, 54-hole event with a total

than I remember," said Jim Booros,

a seven-year Nelson veteran.

Club in Fort Worth]."

feet short of the flag.

of 8-under 202.

est scores in years."

SWC

vate school.

1984.

"If the wind blows, even par

enough to win.

Barring a green-softening rain-

sant winds and lusher roughs.

This week

PGA Tour: GTE Byron Nelson Classic, today-Sunday at Tournament Players Course at Las Colinas Sports Club, Irving

LPGA Tour: Sara Lee Classic, tomorrow-Sunday at Hermitage Golf Club, Old Hickory,

Senior PGA Tour: Las Vegas Senior Classic, tomorrow-Sunday at Desert Inn and Country Club, Las Vegas

Hogan Tour: South Carolina Open, tomorrow-Sunday at Country Club of South Carolina in Florence, S.C.

John Mahaffey always finds himself in a reflective mood on the practice greens these days. When you're using a mirrored putter in an attempt to cure the yips, it's hard not

Mahaffey's revolutionary putting aid a mirror attachment that fits in a cavityback putter — is "the best teaching device I've ever seen," said the Houston resident, who is marketing the product under the name of Analaser.

Roughly the size of a makeup compact, the mirror attachment has two vertical lines etched down the center. By lining up two

Conditions are ripe for high scores, players say

balls within four feet of one another, a player can tell during the backswing if he is keeping his putter straight through the point of impact.

If he is, he should be able to see both balls in the center of the mirror. If not, he is pulling his putts off line. By noticing in which quadrant the balls appear, a player can learn which way he is yanking the club and correct his stroke.

"It's better than a video because it gives you instant feedback," said Mahaffey, who is using the device this week at the Nelson. "I was taking the putter outside, and it showed me I was aiming left of the hole."

Don't look for Mahaffey's gimmick, expected to retail for \$65, in your local pro shop just yet. It won't be available until August. Manufacturers will use the time until then to reduce the weight of the mirror (38 grams), which cannot be used during play. Either that, or they will develop an attachment of similar weight to plug into the cavity-back, thereby giving the putter the same feel with or without the mirror.

Only time will tell whether the reflective Mahaffey is a true man of vision.

Jimmy Burch's column on pro golf appears Thursday.

### And the winner is ....

Player	Udas	Comment				
Mark Calcavecchia	3-1	His game is grooved to fit this course.				
Lanny Wadkins	4-1	Too close too often recently to overlook.				
Andrew Magee	5-1	Carrollton native has history on his side, friends in his gallery.				
Payn Stewart	5-1	Neck pain has subsided, scores are dropping for defending champ.				
Fred Couples	5-1	Won in '87. No reason he can't contend again.				
Tom Watson	5-1	Perpetual Nelson contender needs to drop som elusive short putts.				
Steve Elkington	6-1	TPC champ is overdue for good Texas outing				
Mark Brooks	8-1	When you're hot, you're hot. Fort Worth native is coming off "dream round," victory.				
Bruce Lietzke	10-1	Dallas native won in '88, is capable of repeat.				
Ben Crenshaw	12-1	Two weeks off should not hurt resurgent put- ting stroke.				

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players is "a little higher" than at most tournaments, said Billy Ray Brown. Enough so that Brown, a fourth-year player from the University of Houston in search of his initial PGA Tour victory, admits he subconsciously considers this golden opportunity to sneak into the winner's circle.

"You think about it, sure," Brown said of the depleted field. "This is a good week for some young guy to step up and beat everyone's butt."

Should that happen, Brown said, no one should place an asterisk beside the triumph, denoting it as a cakewalk against a bunch of cream puffs. Not even with a handful of local club pros, who qualified for their spots, and 13 players ranked below No. 200 on the PGA earnings list among the 156 entrants.

Fellow Houstonian Fred Couples, the 1987 Nelson winner, concurred.

"There's no such thing as a soft tournament on the PGA Tour," Couples said. "Obviously, the guys at the top of the money list have been the best so far. But anyone who tees it up on tour has a chance to

Perhaps none more than this week, because the Nelson dates fell during a gap between prestigious invitational events such as the Masters (April 11-14) and Memorial (May 16-19) tournaments, more players than usual wrote it out of their schedule this year.

"Different horses for different courses," surmised defending champ Payne Stewart. "I think the field will improve next year, when it goes back-to-back with the [Southwestern Bell] Colonial

again."

For this year, however, Mark Calcavecchia warns fellow favorites to watch out for off-the-wall contend-

"Everyone who tees it up out here is capable of shooting 63 or 64 for one round," Calcavecchia said. "Whether or not they can maintain it, who knows? It could be a real crap shoot.'

Such logic must be music to the ears of Nelson entrants Perry Arthur and Brandt Jobe, who have averaged a respective \$87 and \$95.33 per outing in a combined 16 PGA starts this season. It also sounds pretty good to Paul Lopez, one of the resident pros at Z Boaz Municipal Golf Course in Fort Worth who will be chasing the ultimate Cinderella story this week.

Lopez qualified Monday for one of the final four spots in the field. He tees up in his first PGA event at 1:20 p.m. today. He knows the average golf fan will question his inclusion in an event with Wadkins, Stewart, Calcavecchia, Tom Watson and Tom Kite.

"A lot of people will probably watch me and say, 'I can beat this guy.' Some of them probably can, too," Lopez said. "I'm here to make the cut. Anything beyond that is gravy. Z Boaz to Byron Nelson in one week, that's a big step."

For those hoping to take the big step into the winner's circle, a week without Curtis Strange, Davis Love III, Steve Pate or Fuzzy Zoeller crowding the leader board has got to help. Or, does it?

"I don't think so," said Mike Sullivan; who seeks his third career title and first since the 1989 Independent Insurance Agent Open in Houston. "A lot of good players are socalled unknowns because they've never been on TV. There's no dropoff in competition this week."

### By JIMMY BURCH Fort Worth Star-Telegram **Upcoming tournaments** IRVING — Players are predict-

For professional golf fans, the GTE Byron Nelson Classic is the only game in town this week. But not for long. Other upcoming area tournaments and ticket information:

Murata Reunion Pro-Am Dates: Monday-May 12

Site: Stonebriar Country Club, Frisco Purse: \$450,000 Defending champ: Frank Beard Tickets: Clubhouse season badge \$75, pavilion season badge \$25, daily

ticket \$10 Off-course parking: None. Shuttles run from lots adjacent to course. Information: (214) 827-4653

Southwestern Bell Colonial Dates: May 20-26 Site: Colonial Country Club, Fort

Worth Purse: \$1.2 million Defending champ: Ben Crenshaw

Ben Crenshaw, who abandoned the

putter he had used since high school for

two months this season, has returned

'Little Ben' to his bag this week. Cren-

shaw switched to Cleveland Classics

clubs last December and began using one

of the manufacturer's putters at the Los

He slipped the 25-year-old wand into

his bag for the Masters and, thanks to

improved putting, wound up two shots

behind winner Ian Woosnam. Crenshaw

will ride again with "Little Ben" at the

one," Crenshaw said, "but it's nice to go

"I'm still comfortable with the other

Nelson, his first outing since Augusta.

'Little Ben' returns

Angeles Open Feb. 21-24.

Tickets: Grounds season badge \$70, pro-am/weekend daily ticket \$30, Thursday and Friday daily ticket \$20, Monday and Tuesday practice rounds are free.

Off-course parking: Shuttles run from TCU and Farrington Field. Information: 927-4278

U.S. Women's Open

Dates: July 8-14 Site: Colonial Country Club, Fort Worth

Purse: \$500,000 Defending champ: Betsy King

Tickets: Clubhouse season badge \$150, clubhouse season package \$200, grounds season package \$90, Monday-Wednesday practice rounds \$10, Thursday-Friday rounds \$20, Saturday-Sunday rounds \$25

Off-course parking: Shuttles run from TCU and Farrington Field. Information: 927-4390

### back to an old friend." Nelson notes Wolcott's busy week

Bob Wolcott, the third-round leader overtaken by Mark Brooks on Sunday in the Greater Greensboro Open, has a big week planned. He will be the best man in a wedding Saturday night in Dallas. He intends to attend as a contender rather than as a wedding-goer who failed to survive

tra day to party. "I've got a lot of friends in town, and I want to do well for them," said Wolcott, a native of Dickson, Tenn., who will stand beside fellow Dicksonites Curtis Lovelace and Kelly Davie as they tie the knot. "Little

'D' is doing Big 'D', and I want to make it

the weekend cut and stuck around an ex-

special for everyone." Ideally, Wolcott would like to follow the joy of a friend's wedding with the euphoria of his first PGA Tour victory. "It'd be a great thrill to play as well as I

did last week but finish it off this time," Wolcott said. "That's my goal."

Colonial shootout strategy Bill Bowers, tournament chairman of

1the Southwestern Bell Colonial (May 20-26), dropped by the TPC Course to discuss plans for his event's Ryder Cup shootout format with Dave Stockton, Ryder Cup captain. Because of the two-man, alternate-shot format to be used at this year's event, Bowers said the starting time would be moved up a half-hour, to 2:30 p.m., for the Tuesday attraction. Bowers remains undecided if the shoo-

tout will feature five or seven teams.

Wadkins on a roll

Speaking of the Ryder Cup, Lanny Wadkins' recent three-week stretch two third-places finishes and a fifth — has moved him to the top of both the PGA earnings list and the Ryder Cup points standings.

He received a note from Stockton this week, saying, "Thanks for saving me a pick." The note was in reference to Wadkins' at-large invitation to the 1989 Ryder Cup team. This year's Ryder Cup matches between the U.S. players and their European counterparts are scheduled Sept. 26-29 at Kiawah Island, S.C.

Wadkins, clearly, takes pride in his cur-

rent status. "The Ryder Cup is very important to me. I feel like I have that in shape now," said Wadkins, who shot yesterday's lowest pro-am round of any Nelson participant (65). "As far as No. 1 [in earnings], I'd. rather be there in November than May. If I'd putted well the last three weeks . . . I could be in pretty awesome position. From tee to green, I've hit it that well."

Briefly

Don't count Jay Don Blake, winner of the Shearson Lehman Brothers Open, among those afraid to toot his own horn. Asked for his pre-tournament pick to win the Nelson, Blake didn't hesitate. "Myself," said the Utah State product who has one career victory in five years on the tour... Mark O'Meara dropped out of the pro-am because his clubs were lost in transit. Willie Wood filled in for O'Meara. There was no word as of last night as to the whereabouts of O'Meara's sticks.

### Tarleton State can clinch berth in college rodeo finals

BY BRETT HOFFMAN Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Tarleton State University men's rodeo team will enter the school's annual rodeo tonight in Stephenville with the regional team title pretty well sewn up.

Tarleton leads the title race in the Southwest Region after nine season events. The Tarleton State Rodeo, scheduled tonight through Saturday at the Erath County Arena, will end the season.

Tonight's performance kicks off at 8 p.m.

A title victory will advance Tarle-

ton State to the College National Finals Rodeo in June in Bozeman, Mont., where the top two teams from each region in the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association will compete. Three Tarleton State competitors

have won titles and will advance to

Rodeo/ horse shows

the finals on that basis. They are Shawn McMullan, calf roping; Jodi Rush, barrel racing; and Wade Hebb, saddle bronc riding.

**Hunter-jumper show begins** The C-Star Acres Spring Hunter Jumper Show begins its four-day run at 8 this morning at the John Justin Arena.

The show will feature a showcase performance at 7 p.m. Saturday. The Grand Prix will feature some of the world's top competitors jumping for \$25,000 in prize

Among those featured will be former Olympic gold medalist Joe Fargis riding Mill Pearl.

Admission is free for daytime performances today through Sunday. Admission for the Grand Prix Saturday night is

### Pairings

Tee No. 1 today, No. 10 on tomorrow
7:30a.m., Noon—Nick Price, David Graham, Hal Sutton 7:38 a.m., 12:08 p.m. -Tom Watson, Craig Stadler, **Duffy Waldorf** 7:46 a.m., 12:16 p.m. —Ray Floyd, Andy Bean, Dave 7:54 a.m., 12:24 p.m. — Dan Pohl, Jim Booros, Jim 8:02 a.m., 12:32 p.m. — Mark Lye, Dan Haildorson, Brad 8:10 a.m., 12:40 p.m. — D.A. Weibring, David Canipe, 8:18 a.m., 12:48 p.m. —Morris Hatalsky, Tom Byrum, Donnie Hammond 8:26 a.m., 12:56 p.m. -Steve Elkington, Tom Kite, John

8:34 a.m., 1:04 p.m. - Lanny Wadkins, Bruce Lietzke, 8:42 a.m., 1:12 p.m. —Greg Whisman, Brian Watts, Bob 8:50 a.m., 1:20 p.m. — Michael Allen, Barry Cheesman, Dillard Pruitt 8:58 a.m., 1:28 p.m. —Robert Thompson, John Wilson, Leonard Jones

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basketball-scheduling policy that would require all SWC schools to schedule Division I opponents and that would require 50 percent of non-conference games be scheduled against opponents ranked in the top

"The athletic directors haven't been asked for a recommendation as a group. Out of fairness to Tulane, I think the presidents will make a decision on June 3."

> - Frank Windegger TCU athletic director

70 from the previous season.

The SWC's schedule committee will meet with its counterparts from the Big Eight Conference later this month to work on details of a scheduling alliance, particularly the challenge series in basketball that is now targeted for the 1991-92 season.

## Rib injury forces Brooks to leave pro-am

By JIMMY BURCH Fort Worth Star-Telegram

IRVING — Mark Brooks gave playing partners and tournament officials at the GTE Byron Nelson Classic a scare yesterday when he left the course eight holes into his pro-am round complaining of pains in his right rib cage.

The Fort Worth native, coming off last week's victory in the Greater Greensboro Open, has been nursing strained ribs for more than a week and said the discomfort he felt yesterday was his most intense to date. Tournament officials were concerned Brooks might withdraw, and the physical therapist who treated him said that remains a "very realistic" possibility.

Brooks, however, plans to keep his 1:04 p.m. tee time for today's opening round at the Tournament Players Course at the Las Colinas Sports Club. "I was afraid if I kept playing, it

would get more irritated," Brooks said, dismissing his early departure as a precautionary measure. "It hurts the most when I sneeze or take deep breaths. I played with it last week. I can do it again."

Paul Hospenthal, the trainer who examined Brooks in the PGA Tour physical fitness trailer, said the player's injury is similar to the one that sidelined Russ Cochran for three weeks last season. Brooks' ribs on his right side have slipped out of place, straining the muscles between the ribs, Hospenthal said. Swinging a golf club, he explained, serves as a constant irritant and a hindrance to recovery.

"Usually, there comes a time where the player just has to rest and let it heal," said Hospenthal, who expressed concern that the pain has intensified. "Mark wants to play. It all boils down to how much pain he can stand. If it gets much worse, we would have to tell him to hold off." Brooks, who left the course on a marshal's cart after Brad Bryant

He is committed to play the Southwestern Bell Colonial, May 20-26, and wants to be in peak form for his hometown tour stop. Brooks took hourly treatments—

showed up as his pro-am replace-

ment, wants no part of a long layoff.

ice and stretching — in the fitness trailer after his mini-round and joked that, based on his efforts in Greensboro, this could be a blessing.

# Arkansas climbs, with help from friends

BY SIMON GONZALEZ Fort Worth Star-Telegram

The Arkansas Razorbacks had their best weekend of the year, and they didn't even play a Southwest Conference game.

The Razorbacks climbed three notches in the SWC baseball standings and improved their chances of making the post-season tournament while taking two of three from nonconference opponent Indiana State.

They did it with some help from people they usually don't call their friends. Arkansas went from a sixthplace tie to alone in fourth thanks to Texas A&M's sweep of TCU, Texas' sweep of Houston and Baylor's sweep of Texas Tech.

"It's been a crazy year as far as the conference season, so I guess that was typical," Arkansas coach Norm DeBriyn said.

However, DeBriyn had to wait awhile before he knew where his team stood.

"We were up there in Terre Haute, Ind.," he said. "It seemed like we were completely out of pocket and out of the world."

Fourth isn't where the Razorbacks, the two-time defending SWC champions, are accustomed to being. But it's a long way from the cellar, which is where they were after losing four of six against Rice and A&M to open the season.

"We're playing probably a little better than the way we were earlier in the year," DeBriyn said. "Some of our younger pitchers are doing a better job, and we've hit a little bet-

However, the Razorbacks are not out of the woods yet. They play host to Texas this weekend and probably need to win two of three to secure a

### SWC baseball

tournament berth.

"We're 9-9," DeBriyn said. "If we can win two of three against Texas, we'll have a winning record in the conference and be in pretty good shape for the tournament. If we don't have a winning record in the conference, I don't know if we deserve to be in any tournament any-

### Yogi was right

The leaders finally broke away from the

Seven teams went into last week's game within 11/2 games of first. A&M and Texas emerged assured of berths in the post-season tournament, and Baylor is one victory away from clinching.

However, it ain't over yet. As they head for the wire, four teams are jockeying for the last two tournament spots.

It would take a mathematician to figure out all the possibilities, but here are those four teams' best chances of making it: Baylor is in if it wins one game against

Arkansas is in if it sweeps Texas and

probably in if it takes two of three. ■ Houston has to sweep A&M and hope Arkansas loses at least once against Texas. Or win two against the Aggies and have the Longhorns win two against the Razorbacks. The Cougars go instead of Arkansas in case of a head-to-head tie because they won the season series.

TCU goes if it sweeps Baylor and it doesn't finish tied with Arkansas. If the Horned Frogs sweep, they would have the tiebreaker advantage over the Bears and the Cougars, because they would have swept both. But they lost the season series against the Razorbacks.

The worst nightmare for SWC officials is a TCU sweep, a Houston sweep and an Arkansas series victory that isn't a sweep. That would leave TCU, Baylor, Houston and Arkansas in a four-way tie for third. Then it would be time for the guys with the calculators.

Western Union

### TCU's Malone proving a hit for second consecutive year

BY MIKE JONES Fort Worth Star-Telegram

FORT WORTH — Scott Malone admits that before the season the fabled sophomore jinx crossed his mind.

"I can't say I didn't think about it," the TCU outfielder said.

He must not have thought about it long. Last year's consensus Southwest Conference newcomer and freshman of the year enters the Horned Frogs' final series this weekend at Baylor leading the league in batting average at .390 after Tuesday's 4-for-4 performance in a 9-5 loss at Oklahoma. Last year he hit .358, which was eighth-best in the league.

"I've had my slumps this year, but the key is that they've never lasted longer than a week," Malone said. "It seemed like when I needed it, I'd always hit one off the end of the bat that would go through somewhere for a hit. I'd much rather be lucky than good."

Malone, who has committed only four errors this spring, certainly isn't bad.

"For him to put together back-toback seasons like he's had is really unbelievable, considering that everyone we've played was gunning for him," coach Lance Brown said.

"Scott has a lot of ability. But what really helps him is his attitude. He never gets down for long. He feels he's a good hitter, and he likes the challenge of facing good pitch-

The Frogs (30-22) are one of six teams that still have a legitimate shot at being one of the four teams to play in the SWC's last post-season tournament May 17-19 in College Station.

"I think we'll have to sweep, but we're not counting ourselves out of it," Malone said.

From Wire Reports

Dame reports are gathering steam,

and the New York Knicks coach

spoke about an impending move

here," MacLeod, former Dallas

Mavericks coach, said after one of

several scheduled meetings in New

York with Knicks president Dave

Checketts. "We're going to meet

again, and an announcement will be

Notre Dame job, MacLeod said,

took himself out of the running for

the job, said Tuesday that MacLeod

will get the position, and the New

York Post reported MacLeod will

accept the job by the end of the week.

Tuesday night with a playoff loss to

Before the Knicks' season ended

When asked about taking the

Nebraska coach Danny Nee, who

made soon."

"No comment."

"I liked it here . . . and I do like it

when asked about his future.

The John MacLeod-to-Notre

Reports continue to link

### TCU notes

Relay team in order

Track coach Bubba Thornton indicates he'll stay with the 4x100-meter running order of Jon Drummond, Carey Johnson, Ralston Wright and Horatio Porter after that foursome ran a season collegiatebest time of 38.80 seconds last week at the Penn Relays. The Flyin' Frogs will be running in the Mutual Life Games in Kingston, Jamaica, this weekend.

"They looked really good at Penn," Thornton said, "but they can run better. I think this group can run 38.40 - some-

where in there --- or maybe faster." In Kingston, the Frogs also will field a 4x400-meter relay composed of Wright, Johnson, Raymond Redmon and David Texada. Redmon also will run 100 meters and Porter the 200.

**Award winners** 

Sprinter Michelle Stewart, a Polytechnic High graduate, was one of the major award winners at last night's all-sports banquet. She was chosen female athlete of the year and also was one of two recipients of the Dutch Meyer Scholar-Athlete Award. Stewart is an English major who is considering post-graduate scholarship offers from Northwestern and Purdue.

The other Meyer Award winner was pitcher Jared Shope of Grapevine. Shope entered this semester with a 3.9 gradepoint average with a double major in accounting and finance.

Other major award winners included the women's SWC round-robin championship tennis team (Pop Boone Fightin'est Frog Award) and SWC home run leader Chris Thomsen (male athlete of the year).

**Weighty matters** 

All-SWC tight end Kelly Blackwell this week set a weight-room record with a 362-pound power clean. Defensive tackle Thomas Lewis' name will be added to the "Physical Elite" wall in the weight room after meeting requirements in the bench press (400 pounds), incline (325), squat (500) and clean (325).

'We boosted our averages at every position," strength coach Kevin Yoxall said of the spring off-season program. 'We've laid a good base. If the players continue to work as hard in the summer as they have this spring, it should pay off in

### MacLeod, Notre Dame job Colleges

Chiacgo, Nee said: "I think John MacLeod is going to get it. If the Knicks lose tonight, I think he is going to be named in the next 24 hours."

UTA's Brand, Massey honored UT-Arlington basketball player Willie Brand and track athlete Sara Massey were chosen top men's and women's athletes at UTA's all-sports spring banquet. Brand, a senior guard selected to the all-

conference team, led the Southland Conference in 3-point shooting last season and set school and SLC records last season for the most 3-pointers in a game, season and career. He also set school records for career points, total field goals and 3-point percentage.

Massey set school records last season in both the heptathlon and javelin and tied her own mark in the high jump. She is a provisional qualifier for the NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Championships in those three events and should become the first UTA women's track athlete to compete in the NCAA championships.

Well-armed at last

The Aggies got good pitching in the TCU series, holding the Frogs to seven runs in the three games.

It was expected in the first two games, with Jeff Granger (7-2, 3.04 earned-run average) and Ronnie Allen (7-2, 3.24) pitching. It was a pleasant surprise for coach Mark Johnson in the third game, with Kelly Wunsch on the mound.

The Game 3 starter has been a problem for the Aggies. Four pitchers have tried,

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without much success. In his last SWC start, Wunsch gave up seven runs in twothirds of an inning.

However, the freshman pitched into the seventh inning against TCU and held the Frogs to two runs. The performance was

good enough to earn another start this week against Houston. "He's got the ammunition," Johnson

said. "We'll just keep giving him the ball and see what happens." ■ Standings, statistics . . . PAGE 9

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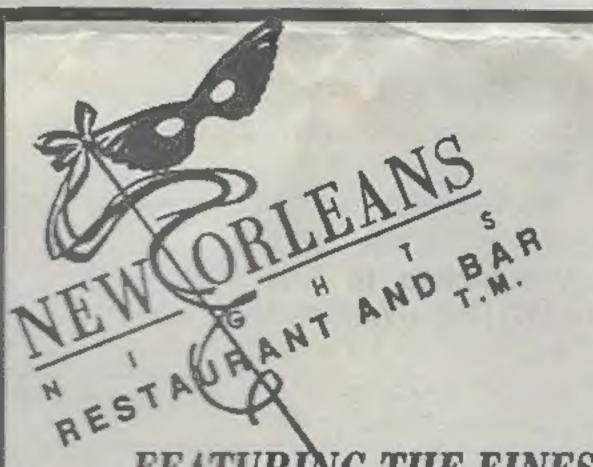
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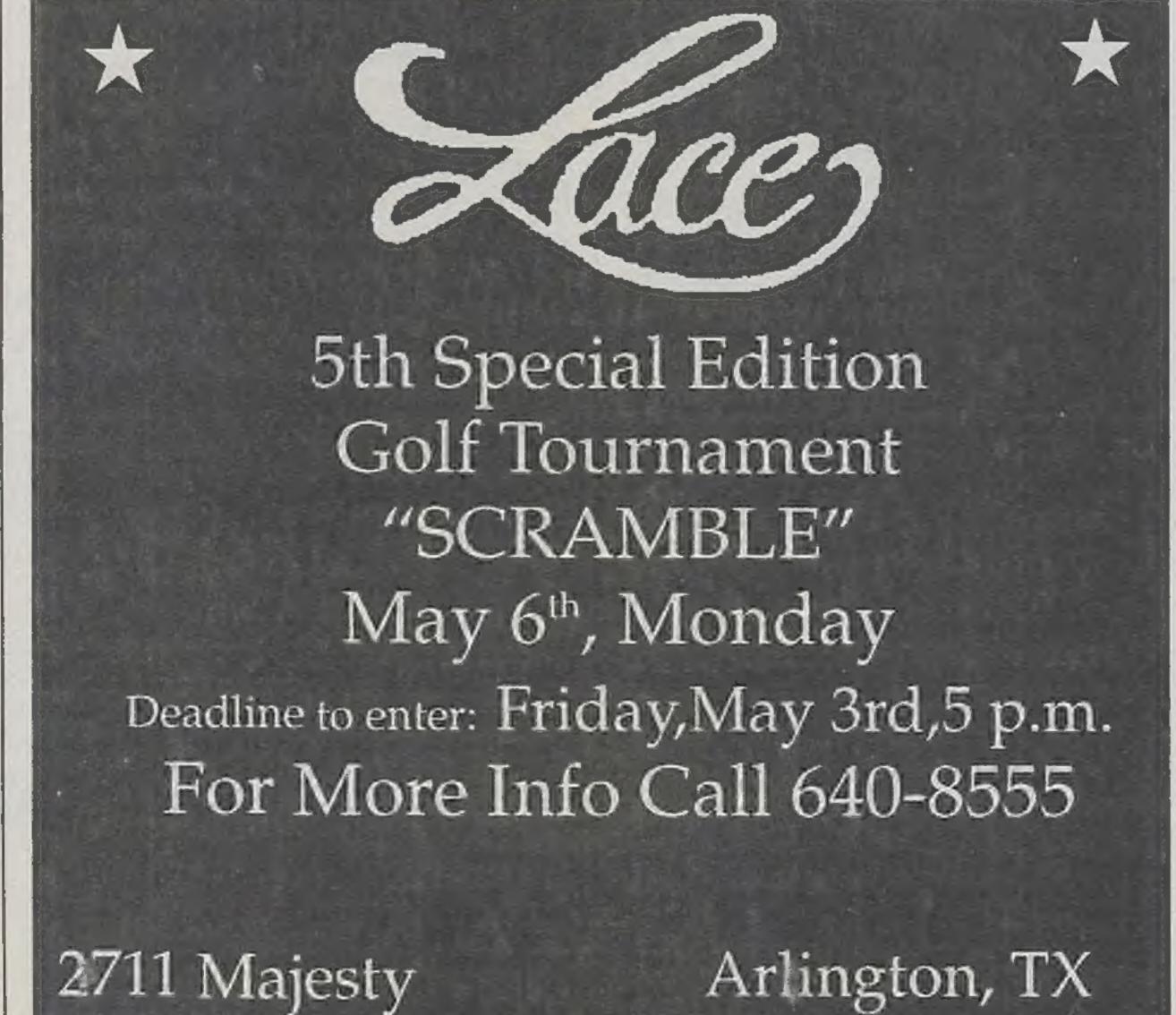
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### On TV

Baseball Baseball Magazine, 8 a.m., ESPN. Talking Baseball, 4 p.m., HSE. Play Ball with Reggie Jackson, 4 p.m., Baseball Tonight, 10 p.m., ESPN.

Basketball Detroit at Atlanta, 8 p.m., TNT. Phoenix at Utah, 10:30 p.m., TNT.

Bowling LPBT Ashland Blue Ribbon Classic, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

Boxing Tony Martin vs. Micky Ward, junior welterweights, 8 p.m., ESPN.

Football This Week in the WLAF, 4:30 p.m., HSE.

Golf Senior PGA Tour, 2:30 p.m., ESPN.

Horse racing Kentucky Derby Preview, 11 p.m., HSE. Derby Post Positions, midnight, HSE. Derby Fever, 2:30 a.m., HSE.

Motorsports Secrets of Speed, 1 p.m., ESPN. Indy Car World, 1:30 p.m., HSE. Chevrolet Motorsports Hour, 2 p.m., 9 p.m., HSE. This Week in NASCAR, 10 p.m., HSE.

Brickyard Legends, 12:30 a.m., ESPN. Outdoors Lady Bass, 5 p.m., HSE. Southern Fishing, 5:30 p.m., HSE. Texas Fisherman, 8 p.m., HSE. Honey Hole TV Magazine, 8:30 p.m., HSE.

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Variety Scholastic Sports, 8:30 a.m., ESPN. Body by Janis, 10 a.m., HSE. Glory Days, 4:30 p.m., ESPN. Thoroughbred Digest, 5 p.m., ESPN. Up Close, 5:30 p.m., ESPN. SportsCenter, 6 p.m., 10:30 p.m., 1:30 a.m., Sports Tonight, 10:30 p.m., CNN. Sports Latenight, 1:30 a.m., CNN.

Wrestling Professional Wrestling, 3 p.m., ESPN.

### On radio

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Sports Central, 6 p.m., KRLD 1080 AM. Sports at 6, 6 p.m., WBAP 820 AM. Sports Final, 10:05 p.m., WBAP 820 AM.

### Looking ahead

Basketball

Applications are being accepted for the Lady Frog basketball camps. Day camp, June 17-20, is \$80. Overnight camp, June 23-27, is \$260. For information, call 921-

Applications are being accepted for Moe Iba's basketball camps July 7-11, July 14-18 and July 21-25. Cost is \$270 for overnight, \$170 for day camp. For information, call 921-7968.

The Gerald Myers Basketball Camp is accepting registration. Camps run June 23-28 and July 28-Aug. 2 at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Costs are \$210 to \$250. For information, call (806) 742-

The Green Pride 3-on-3 Shootout is scheduled May 18 at Azle High School. The tournament, featuring men's and women's divisions, will include free-throw and 3-point shooting contests. Entry fee is \$40 per team and is due by May 15. For information, call Bert Trevino at 444-4443, Pam Ribble at 249-5780 or Azle High School at 444-5555.

The North Arlington Basketball Camp for youths grade 1-7 will be June 3-7 at Nichols Jr. High, 1200 N. Cooper. Cost is \$40. For information, call 861-3897 or 478-3806.

Martin High School's Lady Warrior Camps are June 17-21 for grades 3-5 and June 24-28 for grades 6-9. Cost is \$50 with June 1 deadline. For information, call 483-0400.

The Southwestern Association AAU Junior Olympics Girls Basketball Tournament will be May 30 through June 15 in Grapevine. Registration deadline is May 15. There will be seven divisions for girls ages 11-18. Interested coaches should call (214) 298-1401.

The Brad Davis camp for boys grades 5-12 will be July 21-26 at Texas Wesleyan University. Cost is \$285 and includes meals and T-shirts. For information, call 465-4848.

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**Jockey** Walker

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races. She should be close again today. Long shot: Neptune

Second — Purse \$12,000, claiming \$25,000, 4-year-

Guillory

Romero

Woodley

Comments - Ruffles An Rickels tired a bit in his last at

Oaklawn Park, but he could wake up here. His beat race would

be good enough to beat these. Total Balance has the rail and

good early speed. He should be prominent throughout. Sug-

ar's Best won his only start of the year and could be an even

Third — Purse \$5,500, Special Accr., La.-bred Claiming,

Jockey Gonzalez

Borel

Court

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Romero

Comments - Be Specific was impressive in a recent

training race and picks a very soft spot for his racing debut.

Nouveau Gold showed good speed to much better in his

racing debut at Fair Grounds. He could be the one to catch

today. Dixfield Prince is another who has been flashing some

early speed. He could win this at a decent price. Long shot:

Fourth --- Purse \$6,000, fillies, claiming, 3-year-olds, 61/2

Sonnier

Romero

Guillory

LeBlanc

Bourque

Comments - Initial Hour has been racing well in Kentucky

She steps up a bit for this, but her local works say she is ready.

Willow Native won her only start, but has been away since

last October. A recent training race may haveher ready. Miss Eye Full won her last going away at Fair Grounds and would be no surprise to take another. Long shot: She's So Clever.

Fifth - Purse \$5,200, maidens, fillies, claiming, 3&4year-

Jockey Steinberg

Woodley

Maple LeBlanc

Melancon

Comments - Sweet Oversight showed some ability in a

recent training race and is in the hands of a fine horseman. She is a half-sister to a winner of over \$99,000. Life Storm closed

well to be beaten less than three lengths in her last race at

Oaklawn Park. Mickey Brown showed some ability here last

year and has worked well for her first race of the year. Long

Sixth — Purse \$12,000, claiming \$25,000, 4-year-olds

Walker

Trosclair

Court

Comments --- Alquilera went longer in his last two starts at

Oaklawn Park, but his best speed figures have been earned at this distance. Queen's Master beat better here last year, but

he has been away since July and may need a race before

showing his best. Rob's Freeze has fine early speed and could

be very hard to catch if he gets clear early. Long shot:

Seventh --- Purse \$5,200, maidens, fillies, claiming, 3&4

**Jockey** Walker

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Comments - Antique Rose raced well with much better

last year and has worked well enough for her first start of

1991. Some Kinda Life has been closing well enough at yhis

level at Oaklawn Park and gets Larry Snyder to help her get out

and running early today. Missed The Parade was second with

similar in her last race. She shouldn't be overlooked. Long

Eighth --- Purse \$6,000, claiming \$12,500, 3-year-olds

Jockey Woodley

Snyder Smith

Court

Guillory

Comments - Hot Cannon has a big edge in the speed

figures. He should beat these if he overcomes the outside

post position. Ready Advocate was narrowly-beaten in his

last two races at Oaklawn Park, but his figures are a bit lower

than those of the top pick. Kristys Nalees Man comes off a

nice effort at a higher level at Fair Grounds. Long shot: Hey

Ninth — Purse \$16,500, allowance, 4-year-olds and up, 6

Jockey Court

Bourque

Trosclair

Guillory

Comment — Parade Boldly earned very good speed fig-ures in two races at Oaklawn Park and should win this if the

second selection isn't something special. Dry Hole was un-

defeated and untested in two races here last year. He won

those by nine and 10 lengths and may be good enough to beat

this tougher group. Ewing Maloy raced well in the Gulf Coast Handicap at Fair Grounds in his last start. Long shot: Penny

Tenth — Purse \$5,200, maiden, claiming \$15,000, 3&4

Jockey

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Borel Steinberg

Simington

Bourque

Trosclair

Comments — Rusty Bird broke poorly, then closed verystrongly to just miss in his first start of the meet. The advantage

of that race over the track should make him very hard to beat

today. Gum Springs hasn't raced since October, but he may

have enough early speed to get clear of these. Thar He Blows has been facing better at Remington Park and may prefer this

Romero 114

Woodley 113

Snyder110

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Frazier

tighter horse today. Long shot: Runaway Key.

Horse

Janets Starry Nite

Midge One

**Ernest Bid** 

olds and up, 6 furlongs.

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otal Balance

Goodie Goodie

Runaway Key

3&4 year-olds, 6 furlongs.

Be Spacific

Gilford

Nouveau Gold

**Dixfield Prince** 

Satan's Shack

Tip Top Toe

Admiralknose

Fast Supper

Cloud O War

Satan's Shack.

Horse

Initial Hour

Willow Native

She's So Clever

Miss Eye Full

Flying Jump

Wondermous

Wendy Celara

Romantic Duo

Midnight Trudy

Sweet Oversight

Life Storm

Mickey Brown

Cherry Dandy

Matched Ice

Pleasure Days

Paula's Return

Irish Beauty

shot: Cherry Dandy.

and up, 6 furlongs.

Alquilera

Queen's Master

Rob's Freeze

Bob's Cadet

Clever Dare

**Bold Clem** 

year-olds, 6 furlongs.

Antique Rose

Some Kinda Life

Missed the Parade

Centerfield Queen

Top My Sugar Dazzle Me Dan

Mystic Kingdom

Big Cher

Fairly Silver

Jo Licity

and up, 1 1-16 miles

11 Hot Cannon

Ready Advocate

Fashion Dish

Spruce List

Hey Wino

Hi Agate

Horse

Parade Boldly

**Ewing Maloy** 

Penny Hooch

**Ninelinebind** 

Calvary's Call

Mister Flair

year-olds, 7 furlongs.

Rusty Bird

Gum Springs

Thar He Blows

King Mountain View

racetrack. Long shot: Kosher Kid.

Dance and Sing

Deceptive One

Lord Wilkinson

Golden T Bug

Kosher Kid

Dr. Vernon

Ex Lover

Hooch.

PP Horse

Kristys Nalees Man

Dawn Of Hemann

Riding for a Fall

Chall Come Back

shot: Jato.

PP Horse

Poquito Frio

Horse

Smokey Harem

Fairly Wicked

**Hookem Princess** 

Andrea's Flight

Eversofast

olds, 6 furlongs

Ms. Sea Shannon

Fortune And Fame

Cajun Speed Ball

Straight Express

Pocket of Nickles

Horse

Over The Apalachee

Colorization

Sugar's Best

Neptune Circle

First -- Purse \$18,000, 3-year-olds and up, 61/2 furlongs. First -- Purse \$4,200, 3-year-olds, maiden fillies, claiming \$12,500, 6 furlongs. Odds 3-1 Wt. 122 122 122 122 Odds Jockey Sides Horse Rare As Ever Koyle Strickland Miss Sabreliner Maha's Beauty Payne Berry Termini 8-1 Copper Pop 122 122 122 Commercial Date 10-1 Comments — Nalees Chick haswon nine of 24 career Lady In The Night Kristy Girl outings and may have been facing a bit better at Fair Grounds.

Janets Starry Nite is undefeated in four career starts. Her 122 122 122 122 122 20-1 Cannon Queen Compton 20-1 30-1 B.K.'s Treasure speed figures give her a good chance to make it five in a row.

Midge One has three firsts and a second from her last five Icy Satisfaction

Medallion Lady Comments - Rare As Ever finished third in a much tougher field in her 1991 debut and should handle these with anything close to that effort. **Miss Sebreliner** ran decent races in weaker fields in her last two starts and looks best of the rest. Maha's Beauty returns to a sprint distance and could

Second — Purse \$5,400, 3-year-olds, fillies, claiming \$12,500, 1 1-16 miles. Horse Too Much Charisma Tovia Iva's Time Dorasita Pettinger Raising Rumors 112 More Business Lindsey's Secret Strickland 112 20-1

30-1 City Code Comments — Too Much Charisma had no chance in her last start but beat a tougher field than this one in her previous race. Star Tab comes out of much tougher races on the grassand should also improve with these. Tovia won a 'key' maiden race in her last start and could win this at a decent

Third — Purse \$4,700, 3 & 4-year-olds, maiden fillies, claiming \$16,000, 6 furlongs. Horse Slot Machine Sid's Tausie **Busy Duchess** Susan's Rhythm Go On Bryant 118 Sally Gal Just Won One Lambert 20-Foolish Shelly Lady Grasshopper 30-1 Cool Patty 30-Bankara

Comments - Slot Machine had a troubled trip last out and could win this with better racing luck. Sid's Tausie has a sharp work pattern that includes a training race victory, and she finds a soft spot for her career debut. Busy Duchess tried two turns with no success in her last two starts, but her last sprint was solid.

Fourth — Purse \$5,805, 4-year-olds & up, Okla.-bred claiming \$5,000, 1 mile and 70 yards. PP Horse Wt. Payne Bickel Peter Gun C. Washita Dancer Corbett Turnagain To 116 **Bold Rupard** Hay N Grey Estrada Count On Cash Hot Temper 15-1 Mean Ductive 15-1 Englestein 20-1 Carouse Hulk O Fantasy 116 Little Country

Comments — Peter Gun C. comes off three strong sprint efforts in a row and has won at today's distance in the past. Washita Dancer is the obvious class of this field, but he disappointed last out and has no published works for this. Turnagain To is probably better sprinting but has enough class to be dangerous here.

Fifth — Purse \$6,345, 3 & 4-year-olds, Okla.-bred maiden fillies, claiming \$16,000, 6 furlongs Horse Wt. Miss Coulomiers Lambert Swing Inside Strickland 110 Zelvana Vicki My Dear Montoya 118 Maria Sangria Swap Out 15-1 20-1 Audrey Lee 114 20-1 Slewdoll Lambert 113 20-1 Dividend's Debby 122 Plain Story 110 Cole's Princess Corbett

30-1 Comments - Jalena just missed vs. males in her debut and should find this an easier spot. Miss Coulomiers finished second in her last two starts and drops back into the claiming ranks for the first time. Swing Inside also showed improve ment last out and probably needed that race.

Sorth - Purse \$6,300, 4-year-olds & up, starter allowance, 1% miles, turf. Horse Tricky Dave 116 One For Anie Royal Pants 116 Phantom Cottage 116 Comptor Trust In Magic 116 El Cassaleria Ransacker 116 Marcus Aurelius Ben A. Rainbow Confidente Hilburn Zues Chase Comments — Tricky Dave turned in a dull effort in his local debut, but he has beaten tougher horses than these on the turf

in the past. One For Anie scored a game win in a good claiming field and would be no surprise with these. Royal Pants finished second in a fast race last out and will be tough to beat today with a repeat of that effort.

Seventh - Purse \$5,200, fillies & mares, claiming \$8,000, 1 mile and 70 yards. Wt. Odds **Babies New Shoes** Moonlight Bow 116 Compton 116 Big Weep Out Greek Gab Holly Ball Terrific Investor 112 Natural Tribute Diamond Mine Rogers Little Red Bear Lambert Comments - Babies New Shoes is 3-for-5 this year and

beat a solid field in good time last out. Moonlight Bow scored

a sharp sprint win last out and is proven at today's distance.

Big Weep Out finished second to the top pick in their last

meeting and was second in a tougher field than this one last

Eighth - Purse \$11,610, Okla.-bred fillies & mares, allowance, 61/2 furlongs. Odds Wt. Horse Sterling Hero Swift Rio Tropical Itch De Dawn Taut Jeans See the Sea Shells Miss Minnie Julia

Perfect Note Prissy Brandy Comments — Sterling Hero was an easy maiden winner in fast time in her debut and should beat these with a similar effort. Swift Rio and Tropical Itch have both run strong recent races at this level and look like the top candidates for an upset

Ninth — Purse \$9,900, 4-year-olds & up, allowance, Odds 5-2 Horse Wt. Sir Chat Comptor 119 Shepody Bay Montoya For You A Wish Estrada Hot Song Our Unicom Ponder On Lambert Northern Vike Scandalized Plugged Cruciate Smart Alex Strickland Comments - Sir Chat finished fourth in a tougher field last out in his turf debut and probably needed that race after two months off. Shepody Bay finished a strong third on the mair

and had a troubled trip on the main track last out. Tenth — Purse \$4,700, 4-year-olds, maidens, claiming \$12,500, 1 mile and 70 yards. Odds 5-1 Horse Run Bubby Run Andy's Flying J. Honorable Pocket 117 122 117 122 Compton Honest Measures Monsieur V. MacMillan 117 Honeystar 117 122 122 Magic's Rockette Montoya Lambert Mann Bailey 12-1 Crazy 117 Betty's Henry G. Quaid 20-1 20-1 Bokoshe Estrada 30-1 Kinky's Native Comments - Run Bubby Run had a troubled trip last out in his first distance attempt but finished fourth in a tougher field

than this one in his previous start. Andy's Flying J. is a filly

facing males, but she comes off a strong of solid efforts and finds a soft spottoday. Honorable Pocket is a question mark

at today's distance but comes out of fast races.

Louisiana Downs results Yesterday's races Weather clear. Track fast. First — 17,000, allowance, 3-year-old, 6 furlongs.

Second-6,000, claiming, maiden 3 & 4-year-old, 11-16 

 Aly D'Or (Howard)
 \$6.60
 3.80
 3.00

 Col C's Baby (Romero)
 4.60
 3.40

 Phancy That Cat (Simington)
 7.60

 Off 1:01. Time 1:48 1-5.

 Daily double (6-4) paid \$48.20. Exacta (4-1) paid \$37.80. Third - 5,500, claiming, maiden 3 & 4-year-old, 1 mile 70

dq-Mark Of Grace (Walker) Off 1:31. Time 1:46 3-5. dq-Disqualified from 1st to 3rd. Scratched — Goat Mountain Fourth—7,000, claiming, 3-year-old & up, 61/2 furlongs.

Bev Hills Play (Woodley) . . . . \$21.60 9.20 6.80 Perfect Laddie (Court) . . . . . . . . . . . 4.00 3.20 Turbulent Knight (Simington) ..... 9.20 Off 2:02. Time 1:19 2-5. Scratched — Dirty Dan. Exacta (4-1) paid \$107.10. Fifth — 13,000, claiming, 4-year-old & up, 7 furlongs. Evergreen Ridge (Howard) . . . \$10.40 4.60 3.60 Rallywithclass (Lemaire) ........ 9.00 5.80

Sunrise To Sunset (Walker) Off 2:30. Time 1:24 1-5. Exacta (7-6) paid \$183.30. Sixth — 6,000, claiming, 3-year-old & up, 61/2 furlongs. Vicksburg Queen (Howard) . . \$17.40 7.80 5.40 Love Gone Wrong (Simington) ..... 12.00 6.20 A. Feather (Court) . . . . . . . . . . . . 4.40 Off 2:59. Time 1:19 3-5. Scratched - Rayburn's T.J.

Exacta (9-3) paid \$348.60. Seventh — 6,000, claiming, 3-year-old, 6 furlongs. Networker (Romero) . . . . . . . . \$6.00 4.00 3.00 Ideal Dance (Gonzalez) . . . . . . . . . . . 5.00 3.40 Scratched - Justa Rebel, Number One Brother, Subtle Jeff, Slew Me, Swift D.J. Exacta (1-5) paid \$43.50.

Eighth — 12,000, claiming, 3-year-old & up, 6 furlongs. Wild Win (Borel) . . . . . . . . . . . \$9.60 4.60 3.40 Twinkle City (Woodley) . . . . . . . . . . . 3.40 2.60 Scratched - Miss Lariat. Exacta (4-8) paid \$55.20 Super Six (5-4-7-9-1-4). Five winners paid \$2,638.00 (6 tickets). Carryover \$105,763.00.

Ninth — 22,000, allowance, 4-year-old & up, 1 mile 70 Windsworth (Borel) . . . . . . . . \$6.80 3.40 2.60 Scratched — Valid Space. Exacta (1-7) paid \$24.60. Pick 3 (1-4-1) paid \$73.20.

Tenth-5,500, claiming, 4-year-old & up, 61/2 furlongs. Stephanie Who (Lovelace) . . . \$29.80 12.80 9.00 Loco Native (Trosclair) . Off 4:51. Time 1:19 3-5. Scratched — Blooming Jil. Exacta (2-4) paid \$385.20. Late Double (1-2) paid \$149.20. Trifecta (2-4-8) paid \$2,267.70. Attendance 4,954. Handle \$828,372.00.

Remington Park results Track: fast First - Maiden, claiming \$16,000, 3-4-year-olds, 7 furlongs, purse. 

 Just Fightin (Bickel)
 \$4.20
 3.40
 2.60

 Markabel (Berry)
 7.40
 4.00

Second — Claiming \$4,000, 4-year-olds and up, 51/2 furlongs, purse \$3,125. Jeromy Sol (Patterson) . . . . . . \$7.00 4.60 3.20 Hesaprospect (Moore) . . . . . . . . . . . . 10.80 5.20 Soar With the Wind (Compton) . . . . . . . . . . 3.60 Time: 1:07 2-5. Daily Double (12-1) paid \$17.20. Exacta (1-3) paid \$90.80. Third — Maiden Claiming \$20,000, 3 and 4 -year-olds, 1 mile and 70 yards, purse \$5,400. Ocean Reef (Lambert) . . . . . . \$15.20 6.00 4.00

Second Notion (Pettinger) . . . . . . . . . 4.20 Boston Knight (Montoya) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3.20 Time: 1:46 3-5. Fourth — Claiming \$5,000, fillies & mares, 4-year-olds and up, 1% miles, purse \$4,300. Pure in Heart (Compton) . . . . . \$6.80 4.20 3.40 Cardiac Gal (Knowles) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4.60 3.40 Princess Decree (Breaux) . . . . . . . . . . . . 7.40 Time: 1:55. Exacta (3-2) paid \$25.20. Fifth — Claiming \$6,500, fillies & mares, 4-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs, purse \$4,500.

Dr. Risner (Payne) Ready to Be Rich (Payton) . . . . . . . . . . . . 7.80 Exacta (9-8) paid \$86.80. Sixth — Maiden Claiming \$25,000, 3-4 -year-olds, 6 furlongs, purse \$5,400. Victory Pete (Bickel) . . . . . . \$14.00 6.60 3.20 Here's Gubber (Strickland) . . . . . . . . . . . 2.60 Time: 1:14 4-5. Exacta (7-12) paid \$624.40

Seventh — Claiming \$8,000, 4-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles, purse \$5,200. Paul's Pro (Koyle) . . . . . . . . \$29.00 12.20 7.00 Aly Motion (Payton) . . . . . . . . . . . . 4.60 Time: 1:47 4-5. Exacta (5-3) paid \$319.80. Eighth — Allowance, 3-year-olds, 7 furlongs, purse Swift Livin (Koyle)...., \$82.00 28.20 9.40

Redhawkster (Estrada) . Time: 1:26 4-5. Exacta (6-10) paid \$400.00. Pick Six No Winners. Pick Six Consolation \$2,599.20 2 tickets. Carryover: \$15,595.88. Ninth --- Allowance, fillies & mares, 4-year-olds and up, 1 mile, purse \$9,900.

Hawaiian Retort (Lambert) . . . . \$12.40 5.60 3.40 Bangkok Blue's (McNeil) . . . . . . . . . . 9.40 4.60 Confidant Lass (Strickland) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2.40 Time: 1:36 4-5. Exacta (4-2) paid \$86.80. Tenth - Maiden Claiming \$10,000, fillies, 3-4-year-olds, 6 furlongs, purse \$4,050.

Rare Windy Dawn (Strickland) . \$11.00 4.60 3.40 Punch Cup (Koyle) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4.20 3.20 Doll of Arden (MacMillan) . Time: 1:14 3-5. Exacta (2-9) paid \$49.20 Attendance: 6,110. Handle: \$858,424.

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9	O.K. Law	Bickel	116	20-1	At Otali	7		THOCHIA
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Sunday

Monday

NBA Playoff TV schedule Detroit at Atlanta . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 7 p.m. (TNT) 9:30 p.m. (TNT) Tomorrow 9:30 p.m. (TNT) San Antonio at Golden State . . . . . . .

Baseball

Tuesday's late box scores Athletics 7, Yankees 3 Oakland abrhbi abrhbi 4 1 1 0 R.Henderson If 0000 1 2 2 W.Wilson If Mattingly 1b 3 0 1 0 D.Henderson cf 3010 3 2 2 2 4 0 0 1 3 2 1 0 4 1 1 2 2 0 1 0 4 0 1 0 Canseco rf 3 0 1 0 Baines dh 1 0 0 0 Steinbach c 4 1 1 1 McGwire 1b Leyritz ph Je.Barfield rf 3 0 1 0 Riles 3b 3 0 1 0 Blankenship 3b 2000 Blowers 3b 1 0 0 0 Weiss ss 4011 3 0 0 0 Gallego 2b 33 3 9 3 Totals 3 1 0 0 32 7 8 6 .200 000 001—3 .000 004 21x—7 E—Blowers (3), Espinoza (4). DP—New York 1, Oakland 3, LOB—New York 5, Oakland 5, 2B—Nokes (5), McGwire (6), Weiss (2), HR—Sax (1), JeBarfield (3), Canseco (4), SB— Kelly (4), Canseco (5). R ER BB SO New York Eiland L, 1-1 Monteleone Welch W,3-1 Umpires—Home, Cederstrom; First, Merrill; Second, McClelland; Third, Denkinger. T-2:50. A-40,239. Brewers 8, White Sox 2 Chicago abrhbi ab r h bi 5 0 3 0 Molitor dh 4110 L.Johnson cf 5 2 4 1 3 0 1 0 4 0 0 0 Gantner 2b Ventura 3b 4 1 1 0 Yount cf Fisk c 4 0 1 0 Hamilton of 0000 Thomas 1b 5 0 1 0 Stubbs 1b 4 1 1 1 1000 Merullo dh 4 1 1 2 Brock 1b 4 0 1 0 Vaughn If 4 1 1 2 4 0 1 0 Bichette rf 4222 Guillen ss 3 0 1 0 Surhoff c 2000 4000 Sveum 3b 3 1 3 1 1000 Randolph 2b 37 2 10 2 Totals 35 8 13 7 E—Spiers (2). LOB—Chicago 13, Milwaukee 9. 2B—L.Johnson (2), Guillen (2), Vaughn (3). HR—Merullo (1), R ER BB SO

Stubbs (1), Bichette (2), CS-Yount (1), SF-Merullo. Fernandez L,2-2 Drahman Patterson Bosio W,3-2 Fernandez pitched to 2 batters in the 5th. HBP---by Fernandez (Vaughn), by Bosio (Fisk). WP---Fernandez, Bosio. Umpires-Home, Ford; First, Voltaggio; Second, Joyce;

Third, McKean T-3:39. A-9,136. Tigers 13, Royals 7 Kansas City 4 2 2 1 Cromartie 1b 4 1 2 0 4 1 0 0 Pecota 3b 4 1 1 0 Trammell ss Whitaker 2b 3 3 3 2 Tartabull rf 5 1 2 0 4020 4 2 1 1 K.Gibson dh Fielder 1b 5 1 1 2 3 2 1 0 Eisenreich If Tettleton c 4 2 2 5 MacFarlane c 4220 4 0 1 1 Stillwell ss 3011 1 0 0 0 McRae cf de los Santos 1b 3000 5 0 0 0 Howard 2b Fryman 3b 4 1 2 0 Morman ph Cuyler cf 0000 1000 Shumpert 2b 36 13 12 10 Totals 36 7 13 6

.000 410 134—13 .011 100 301— 7 E-Tartabull (1), Stillwell (2). DP-Detroit 1, Kansas City 1. LOB—Detroit 4, Kansas City 11. 2B—Phillips (4), Tettleton (2), Cromartie (2), Macfarlane (7). 3B—Eisenreich (1), Macfarlane (1). HR—Whitaker (4), Deer (5), McRae (1). SB— Cuyler (3). CS—Cuyler (1). SF—Phillips, Whitaker, Stillwell, McRae 2.

Cerutti Henneman S.4 Kansas City Montgomery L,1-1 Schatzeder HBP-by Aquino (Fielder). PB-Tettleton. Umpires-Home, Hendry; First, Hirschbeck; Second, Phil-

lips; Third, Cooney. T-3:03. A-18,204. Angels 6, Indians 5 California ab r h bi ab r h bi 6 0 1 0 Polonia If 4 2 3 0 Sojo 2b 6130 5120 M.Lewis ss 3 0 1 1 Howell ph 101 Allred rf 2 0 1 0 Joyner 1b 5 1 1 2 MWebster rf 5000 5 1 2 2 Winfield rf 0 0 0 0 Gaetti 3b T.Ward rf 4020 5 2 1 0 D.Parker dh C.James dh

1000 4 0 2 0 Venable dh S.Alomar c 5010 5 0 1 0 Parrish c Baerga 3b 4 0 0 0 Felix cf 4210 4 0 1 1 Schofield ss Browne 2b 46 6 13 5 42 5 13 4 Totals One out when winning run scored.
E—Alfred (2), Browne (5), Gaetti (3). DP—California 2.
LOB—Cleveland 8, California 10. 2B—MLewis 2 (3), Alfred

(3). HR-Belle (4), Felix (1). S-MLewis, SAlomar. H R ER BB SO Cleveland Swindell D.Jones L,0-2 California S.Lewis J.D.Robinson Harvey W,1-0 Bannister pitched to 1 batter in the 8th

HBP---by Harvey (Manto). WP---JDRobinson. Balk---Har-Úmpires-Home, Garcia; First, Palermo; Second, Reilly, Third, Young.

T-3:17. A-20,740. Mets 6, Padres 3 San Diego abrhbi 3 0 0 0 Coleman of T.Fernandez ss 3 0 0 0 Herr 2b 4 1 2 2 1 0 0 Magadan 1b T.Gwynn rf 4010 McGriff 1b 3 1 2 0 Brooks rf 3 2 2 1 3 1 2 2 Johnson 3b Santiago c 301 1 0 0 0 McReynolds J.Clark If 323 1 0 0 0 Cerone c Aldrete If 2000 1 0 0 0 Elster ss Dr. Jackson II 201 Presley 3b 2 0 0 1 Gooden p 0 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 Carreon ph Abner cf 1 0 0 0 Schourek p 0000 Lilliquist p Templeton ph 0000 1 0 0 0 Pena p W.Gardner p 0000 0000 Rodriguez p 24 3 4 3 Totals 29 6 13 5 000 020 1—3 010 212 x—6 San Diego

Game called after 6½ innings, fog. E—Presley (2), Johnson (7). DP—New York 1. LOB—San Diego 2, New York 7. 2B—Herr (6), Magadan (3), Cerone 2 (3). HR—Santiago (2), Johnson (4). CS—Coleman (3). SF— BB SO

ER San Diego Lilliquist L,0-1 W.Gardner Rodriguez New York Gooden W,3-1 Schourek WGardner pitched to 1 batter in the 6th PB-Santiago. Balk-Gooden. Umpires—Home, Quick; First, Rennert; Second, Darling; Third, Harvey

T-2:13. A-17,059. Cardinals 5, Braves 3 St. Louis

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E-Sanders (3), Leibrandt (1). DP-Atlanta 1, St. Louis 1

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Carpenter W.2-1 Agosto Le.Smith S,8 DeLeon pitched to 2 batters in the 6th. Umpires—Home, Hirschbeck; First, McSherry; Second, Davis; Third, Layne. T-2:45. A-19,844. Triple-A Alliance American Association **Eastern Division** Indianapolis (Expos) **Buffalo** (Pirates) Louisville (Cards) Western Division lowa (Cubs) Okla. City (Rangers) Denver (Brewers) Omaha (Royals) International League **Eastern Division** Syracuse (Blue Jays) Pawtucket (Red Sox) Rochester (Orioles) Scranton-WB (Phillies) Western Division Columbus (Yankees) Toledo (Tigers) Tidewater (Mets) Richmond (Braves) Yesterday's results Denver . . . . . . . . . . . . at Oklahorna City

LOB—Atlanta 6, St. Louis 3. 2B—Pendleton (3). SB—Gant (5), OSmith (5), Gilkey (4). CS—Bream (2), S—Heath,

BB SO

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Leibrandt, Pagnozzi.

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Today's games Columbus . . . . . . . . . at Toledo Baltimore . . . . . . . . at Rochester (exhibition) Tuesday's results Oklahoma City 4 . . . . . . . . . . Omaha 2

Texas League First half standings **Eastern Divison** Shreveport (Giants) Tulsa (Rangers) Arkansas (Cards) Jackson (Astros) Western Division Wichita (Padres) El Paso (Brewers) San Antonio (Dodgers) . . . 6 Midland (Angels) . . . . . . . . Yesterday's results

Today's games Arkansas . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . at Jackson Tuesday's results

El Paso 7 . . . . . Wichita

Golf

1991 GTE Byron Nelson Classic Medalist Pro-Am (At Cottonwood Valley Course)
Kirk Triplett-Jackie Thomas-Ron Schroeder-Mike Ward-Jim Ellsworth, 50

2, Carl Cooper-Scott Harvey-Tommy Valenta-Matthew Cloutier-John Walsh, 52 3, John Wilson-Lon Kile-Frank Sloan-Robert Fleming-Chick Young, 52 Scott Gump- Bill McFadden-Jerred Blanchard-Phil Siebert-Carl Forsythe, 52 5, Barry Cheeseman-David Cottrell-Mike Flynn-Ed Frazier-Chuck Gummer, 52

6, Dicky Thompson-R.J Grogan-Richard Dickerman-Dan-Eason-William Clark, 53 7, David Sutherlan-Ross Wilcox-Dan Carlton-Berry Carter-Carl Wolfsberger, 53 8, Joel Edwards-Tom Baber-Scott Collier-David Fournie-Bob Mohr, 54 9, Charlie Bowles-Dick Brooks-John Brubaker-Bud Hammett, Dennis Berman, 54

10, Craig Rudolph-Joe Rhodes-Roger Hirl-Brian Kelly-Don TGA Amateur qualifying

(At Dallas Athletic Club) Steve Elkins, Van Zandt. 

Jonathan Beall, Oak Cliff Marc Watson, Dallas Athletic Club 

Diamond Oaks - LGA. 666 format. First 6: 1, Grace Black; 2, June Handler; 2, Epha Neuman. Second 6: 1, Grace Black; 2, Rita Hinson; 3, Ethel Wadleigh. Third 6: 1, Jane Reynolds; 1, Gay Joiner; 1, June Handler. Lake Country — LGA. Scramble: 1, Ethel McKithan-Millie Livingston-Katie Williams-Troy Ewing; 2, Trassie Doughtie-Jean Hammond-Pam Meyer. Pecan Valley — Pecan Valley Seniors. Championship flight: 1, Jim Pillars, 67; 2, Bob Haubald, 70; 2 Gene Gill, 70. First flight: 1, Ron Weatherill, 67; 2, Ed Miller, 69; 2, Frank

Janezik, 69. Second flight: 1, Virgil Hughes, 69; 2, Ray Sizemore, 69; 3, Ralph Stuck, 70; 3, Dave LaBoone, 70; Ridglea — LGA, gross and net. Championship-first flight Gross: 1, Jan Jackson; 2,, Roberta Fanning. Net: 1, Idelie Luskey, 2, Shirley Hodges. Second flight: Gross: 1, Doris Beverly; 2, Margaret Moore. Net: 1, Helen Chatham; 2 Romaine Charringer; 3, Kathleen Mills. Third flight: Gross: Bobbie Whyte; 2, Jaynie Wooten. Net: 1, Ann Harrison; 2 Daphne Wiggins; 3, Sue Norris. Chip-ins: Bobbie Whyte and Jan Jackson. Nine-holes flight: Gross: Eloise Morris. Net: Walnut Creek - LGA. Scramble: 1, Georgia DeBroeck-

Nako Down-Joyce Siegel-Rose Gansert; 2, Nancy Tice-June Sanchez-Ava Walling-Carol Major. Holes-in-one

Colonial — Jack Townes aced the 185-yard, hole No. 4 using a 2-iron. Witnesses: Bill McReynolds, Earl Dyess, Ed de Cordova Bend — Bob Edd Carrell aced the 153-yard hole No. 7 using a 6-wood. Witnesses: Fayne Mullen, Bob Ludtke and Bob Huntley Meadowbrook - John E. Burton aced the 133-yard, hole No. 6 using a 7-iron. Witnesses: Scott Hees, John Cartwright.

Meadowbrook - Roy Brunson aced the 109-yard, hole No. 3 using a 9-iron. Witnesses: Rick Brunson, Edwart Perot. Sycamore Creek — Lee Brown aced the 134-yard, hole No. 3 using a 9-iron. Witnesses: Leonard Jenkins, Buzz

Johnson, Leonard Smith, Danny Fisher.

### Transactions

Dallas Mavericks - Announced they will not exercise their

option on the contract of forward Alex English. Miami Heat -- Announced the resignation of head coach Ron Rothstein. Football

Cleveland Browns -- Announced the retirement of defensive end Al Baker. Kansas City Chiefs- Signed defensive back Greg Boy-

Pittsburgh Steelers— Signed guard Ricky Byrd.
London Monarchs (WLAF)— Signed cornerback Howard Feggins and running back J.J. Flannigan. Released cornerback Rickey Royal.

Colleges Pikeville - Hired Rick Scruggs as men's basketball coach. Virginia Tech--- Hired Bobby Hussey as assistant basket-

### Fishing report

Benbrook — Bass fishing fair on worms and crank baits three to six feet of water near dropoffs and off points. Sand bass have slowed but some schooling fish have been found on jigs and Slabs near channels and off points. Crappie fair on minows and jigs. Channel cats fair to good on variety of baits.

Bridgeport — Black bass are fair to 5 pounds on worms off points, spinners and Rat-L-Traps are catching good numbers of small bass. Striper are fair. Crappie are fair with many small fish along with limits of keepers. White bass are very good with Lill Georges, Rat-L-Traps and slabs with several good catches. Catfish are good on shrimp and worms. Larger fish caught on trotlines with live bait. Weather has slowed fishing

Eagle Mountain — Black bass fair under docks on worms and grubs, and in stickups. Crappie fair on minnows and jigs.
Sand bass fair trolling diving lures and fishing minnows and jigs at night. Catfish good on trotlines.

Grapevine - Black bass are slow to fair to 4 pounds on worms, jigs and spinners. Crappie are spotty and hit or miss on minnows. White bass are fair to excellent depending on the wind in 15 to 25 feet of water on spoons. Catfish are slow

and hard to find. Joe Pool — Black bass are fair to 5 pounds on grape 8 inch white tail worms and minnows. Crappie are good to 2 pounds on minnows. White bass are slow. Catfish are good to 6

pounds on shad gizzards. Lake Worth - Sand bass fair on yellow jigs, diving lures and minnows, best during early-morning hours. Black bass only fair, mostly scattered on worms and spinners. Catfish good on trotlines at five to 10 feet. Crappie fair to good

around docks on minnows. Possum Kingdom — Black bass are hitting Slug-Gos from the bank in the 4-6 pound range. Striper are picking up in the 10-12 pound range around the dam on topwaters. Crappie are picking up with full strings on live minnows in 6 feet of water. White bass are good to full string on cast masters when schooling. Catfish are good on rod and reel to 6 pounds on Bill's Catfish bait and on trotlines to 30 pounds on Bill's

Super Shad and live bait. Texoma — Black bass are excellent to 51/2 pounds with many limits on lizards, worms, Gitzits, Pig n' Jigs. Striper are good to 10 pounds on live baits, topwaters, trolling deep divers, Sassy Shad. Crappie are good to 2 pounds on minnows and jigs around structure. White bass are good to 21/2 pounds on live bait mainly, some on Sassy Shad and small slabs. Catfish are fair to 15 pounds on cut bait and live bait.

Amistad — Black bass are fairly good to 6 pounds in shallow water on topwaters. Striper are fair up river between marker 18 and 22 on topwater Redfins. Crappie are good up the Pecos River. White bass are still up rivers, some are beginning to move into the lake. Catfish are good in 6-15 feet of water on cheese stinkbaits.

Bob Sandlin - Black bass are good to II.08 pounds on a Rattlin' Rogues. Crappie are fair to good with many undersized fish caught on minnows and jigs. White bass are good to 4 pounds on silver baits, spoons, Kastmasters and L'il Georges. Catfish are fair to 18 pounds on trotlines baited with bream, turtles keep stealing baits.

Buchanan — Black bass are fair through 4 pounds, 6 ounces on chartreuse spinners. Striper are fair through 10 pounds on live bait. Crappie are fair in shallow water on minnows. White bass are fair up river and Tow area on diving baits. Catfish are good through 8 pounds on trotlines baited with live shad.

Caddo - Black bass are good to 111/2 pounds which includes bass club competition over the weekend on gizzard colored Chatter Boxes and Slug-Gos. Crappie are fair to 1 pound on minnows. White bass are fair trolling Roostertails. Catfish are fairly slow to 35 pounds. Bream are bedding up, good numbers caught to 1½ pounds.

Cedar Creek — Black bass are fair to 9 pounds on topwa-

ters and Magnum Claws. Hybrid striper are slow. Crappie are fair with strings to 10 fish on small minnows in shallow and deep water. White bass are excellent with early and late surfacing, best baits are L'il Georges, sliver slabs and Roostertails.. Catfish are fair to 6 pounds on chicken livers and

Choke — Black bass are good to 5 pounds on plastic worms. Striper are slow. Crappie are slow. White bass are slow. Catfish are fair to 4 pounds on worms, nightcrawlers, shrimp and cheese baits.

Falcon — Black bass are fair to 81/2 pounds on worms and cranks off the points. Striper are good in number but small in size on Knockers, spoons and downriggers. Crappie are slow. White bass are good midlake on Knockers. Catfish are good all over the lake, most fish are small, best bait is a

Fork — Black bass are good to 9.78 pounds on Craw Worms. Crappie are good to 21/2 pounds on jigs and minnows. Catfish are slow Hubbard Creek — Black bass are fairly good to 9 pounds

on spinners, Rat-L-Traps and worms. Striper are poor. Crap-pie are good to full strings on minnows. White bass are fair to 12 fish per string while fishing for bass. Catfish are good to 58 pounds on trotline baited with live bait. Lake O The Pines - Black bass are fair to 8.9 pounds on June Bug Ringed Rascal worms, Zara Spooks and a Rat-L-

Traps. Crappie are slow. White bass are fairly good on small cramks. Catfish have been fairly good on trotlines baited with worms and live bait. Livingston — Black bass are fairly good to 8½ pounds on white or chartreuse spinners and black worms in 2-5 feet of water, most are on the nest or hanging near the nest. Striper are good to 12 pounds around daylight around Dove and Pine Islands on topwaters. Crappie are fairly good to 2½ pounds in 2-4 feet of water on minnows. White bass are picking up to about half throttle now, most are making catches of 12 to 15 fish per person. Catfish are good on trotlines. Yellow catfish are good to 65 pounds, many in the 25- to 45-pound range on trotlines with live bait. Blue catfish are good to 20 pounds on

Meredith — Black bass are fairly slow. Crappie are excellent to 21/4 pounds, a new lake record caught by Norma Hale of Stinnett at Bugbee on a minnow. White bass are slow. Catfish are picking up to 18 pounds on trotline with live bait. Monticello — Black bass are good to 6 pounds, 15 ounces

on Chatter Boxes in shallow water. Crappie are slow. Catfish are good to 8 pounds on rod and reel as well as trotline baited with worms and shrimp. Palestine — Black bass are good to 7½ pounds on worms

and spinners. Striper are slow. Crappie are good to 2 pounds on jigs and minnows in 8-12 feet of water. White bass are good with a few limits, on a wide variety of baits. Catfish are good to 35 pounds on trotline baited with bloodbait, shrimp

Ray Roberts — Black bass are good to excellent to 22 inches on plastic worms and topwaters. Crappie are good to 17 inches on medium-sized minnows. White bass are excellent on blue Rattle Traps off the dam in the Highway 922 area. Catfish are good, some channels to 8 pounds on nightcrawlers and shad gizzards.

Rayburn — Black bass are slow. Striper are slow. Crappie are fairly good to 2 pounds on minnows and white jigs. White bass are fair only. Catfish are good to 35 pounds on trotline and live bart. Fisheries biologists are in the process of stocking 1 million hybrid striper fry in the lake. Richland-Chambers - Black bass are spotty, some to 6

pounds, on dark worms. White bass are very good with many limits caught on spoons and Rattle Traps, some caught on surface and some trolling. Crappie are spotty, best at night under lights, on minnows. Catfish are good to 30 pounds on trotlines with live bait. Tawakoni — Black bass are fair to 6 pounds on worms off

points. Striper are slow. Crappie are good on minnows and jigs. White bass are excellent on Ellison's Minnow Spoons. Channel catfish are good to 8 pounds on shrimp and worms. Blue catfish are good to 12 pounds on live bait. Yellow pounds are good to 48 pounds on live bait. Toledo Bend - Black bass are fairly good to 6 pounds on

worms, jigs and Long A's. Striper are fair to 9 pounds on live and artificials. Crappie are good strolling with jigs and live bait. White bass are slow. Catfish are slow to 22 pounds on trotline baited with live bait. Twin Buttes - Black bass are good to 7 pounds on spinners and worms. Crappie are fair to 10 fish per string on

are good to 45 pounds which was caught on a spinner. Most yellow catfish are caught on trotlines with live bait. Whitney — Black bass are good to 8 pounds on Rat-L-Traps and plastic worms. Striper are good to 10 pounds on topwaters, shiners and shad. Crappie are fair to good to 2 pounds in 20 feet of water on minnows. White bass are good with many limits to 2 pounds on minnows. Catfish are good

Rio Grande at Presidio

At Boquillas
Pecos at Farm Road 1865

minnows. White bass are fair on slabs and spoons. Catfish

with blues to 23 pounds, yellows to 31 pounds and channels to 3 pounds on cut bait, worms and shrimp.

Coastal

Galveston — Offshore fishing has been slow due to high winds. Tides are high. Good flounder catches in the bays. Good numbers of redfish in the bays. A fair number of oversized fish at the jetties. Scattered trout in the 21/2 pound range in the bays. A rumored 10 pound trout caught in Christmas Bay, not verified. Big gafftops caught in San Luis Pass, in the bays and the jetties. Live bart available ar \$8.50 to \$10 per quart. The number of fishermen seems to be increasing slightly

Freeport — Snapper were good to 20 pounds offshore, most fishermen caught limits. Good numbers of amberjack to 35 pounds on cigar minnows. Four blacktip sharks to 100 pounds each were also landed over the weekend. A few warsaw groupers to 20 pounds. A number of trigger fish, porgies and sand shark also caught.

MATAGORDA — Good numbers of redfish in the keeper range caught in West Matagorda Bay on dead shrimp, live shrimp and cut mullet. Good numbers of limits caught this week, most limits caught in less than 2 hours. Good numbers of redfish in the Intercoastal Canal, at the drawbridge and in the locks. Good numbers of flounder in East and West Matagorda Bays. A few scattered catches of trout also made. Live bait shrimp plentiful at \$10 per quart.

Rockport - Water off color and fresh. Winds are calm Specks in the 22 inch range caught at Allan's Bight. A couple of redfish and trout caught in Copano. Fishermen at Kontiki Pier in Aransas Bay caught a couple of redfish and trout. estes Flats a re still clear, fishermen are catching fish there. Live bait shrimp available at \$7.50 per quart.

Port Aransas — Redfish are good in the flats in the keeper range on live shrimp, many near limits. Drum have been good also in number the flats. Specks are fair in number in the same area. Live bait shrimp available at \$7.51 per quart, including

Corpus Christi — Fairly good numbers of trout last week but nothing this week, mostly because of weather. Tides are very high. Back bays are fairly calm and winds are low. Live bait shrimp available at 12 cents each at \$4.25 per pint Port Mansfield — Good numbers of specks caught all the way from the Landout north to Three Islands, many limits in the 20-22 inch range. Good numbers of redfish on the west side of the bay in the shallow water on shrimp and touts. Flounder are showing up in the East Cut. Offshore activity has been slow. Live bait shrimp available at \$12 per quart.

South Padre - Redfish are fairly good with some oversized fish caught off the gas well flats and in South Bay. Trout are still good with some limits in the 16- to 25-inch range on live shrimp and lures. A few flounder beginning to show up around Port Isabel drop offs in deeper water. Live bait shrimp plentiful. Good numbers of bonito jack fish and some kingfish to 48 inches. Fishermen say this is the best spring since 1979-80.

### Hockey

Stanley Cup playoffs Division finals **Wales Conference** Adams Division Boston vs. Montreal Boston wins series, 4-3

April 17: Boston 2, Montreal April 19: Montreal 4, Boston 3 April 21: Boston 3, Montreal 2 April 23: Montreal 6, Boston 2 April 25: Boston 4. Montreal April 27: Montreal 3, Boston 2, OT Monday: Boston 2, Montreal

Patrick Division Pittsburgh vs. Washington Pittsburgh wins series, 4-1 April 17: Washington 4, Pittsburgh 2 April 19: Pittsburgh 7, Washington 6 April 21: Pittsburgh 3, Washington 1 April 23: Pittsburgh 3, Washington 1 April 25: Pittsburgh 4, Washington 1

Norris Division St. Louis vs. Minnesota Minnesota wins series, 4-2 April 18: Minnesota 2, St. Louis 1 April 20: St. Louis 5, Minnesota 2 April 22: Minnesota 5, St. Louis 1 April 23: Minnesota 8, St. Louis 4 April 25: St. Louis 4, Minnesota 2

April 26: Minnesota 3, St. Louis 2 Smythe Division Los Angeles vs. Edmonton Edmonton wins series, 4-2 April 18: Los Angeles 4, Edmonton 3, OT April 20: Edmonton 4, Los Angeles 3, 20T April 22: Edmonton 4, Los Angeles 3, 20T April 23: Edmonton 4, Los Angeles 2 April 25: Los Angeles 5, Edmonton 2 April 26: Edmonton 4, Los Angeles 3, OT Conference Championships

Wales Conference Boston vs. Pittsburgh Boston leads series, 1-0 Yesterday: Boston 6, Pittsburgh 3

Campbell Conference Minnesota vs. Edmonton

(roughing), 13:01. Second period—5, Boston, B.Sweeney 4 (Ruzicka, R.Bourque), 3:23. 6, Boston, Neely 14 (Ruzicka, Janney), 15:35. Penalties—Galley, Bos (tripping), 4:19; Wesley, Bos (tripping), 13:23; Samuelsson, Pit (slashing), 16:17. Third period—7, Pittsburgh, Errey 2 (Murphy), 6:08. 8, Boston, Christian 7 (Poulin), 12:17. 9, Boston, R.Bourque 5

(too many men), 14:18.

Baseball Today's games Private schools

### River recreation advisory

Estimated river flows in cubic feet per second and fapproaching hazardous 4, hazardous 5, flood f, below	loatability levels (below minis w flotation level*), based on	mum 0, minimum 1, satisfa	ectory 2, ideal 3,
	eastern waterways		
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Neches at Alto Sabine at Gladewater	3200/f 3000/4	3000/f 2000/4	2700/f 1700/3
North	central waterways		
	Tomorrow	Saturday	Sunday
Brazos at Possum Kingdom	400/1	25*	25*
At Dennis ar east the rank	400/1	200/1	100/1
At Granbury Dam	400/1	400/1	400/1
At Whitney Dam Trinity at Benbrook Dam	800/2	800/2	800/2
Denton Lrk at Grapevine	35	35*	35
At Lewisville Dam	230/1	230/1	230/1
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	Tomorrow	Saturday	Sunday
Angelina at Rayburn Dam		8900/4	8900/4
Neches at Town Bluff Dam	16000/f	16000/f	16000/1
Village Creek at Kountze Sabine at Toledo Bend	1900/4 20000/f	1000/3 20000/f	500/2 15000/8
	central waterways		
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Colorado at San Saba		200/1	200/1
At Austin	1000/3		Frio at Garner
Park Guadalupe at Sprng Brnch	300/2	200/1	200/1
At Canyon Dam	600/3	600/3	600/3
At Cuero	1600/3	1500/3	1300/3
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Liano at Liano		10°	0,
Pedernales at Johnson City San Antonio at Falls City	400/1	400/1	400/1
San Marcos at San Marcos	400/3/w400/3	700/1	300/3
At Luling Trinity at Livingston Dam	500/3	500/3	500/3
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Western waterways

Tomorrow:

Saturday

Sunday

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### Colleges

Baseball **SWC** standings W L 40 17 39 13 37 20 Texas A&M Arkansas 35 18 30 22 42 18 Houston Texas Tech 6 15 16 34 Yesterday's result

Baylor at Oklahoma St. UT-Pan American at Rice (2) . . . . . . . . noon Tomorrow's games UT-Pan American at Rice (2) . . . . . . . . . noon Texas A&M at Houston . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 p.m. TCU at Baylor (2) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 p.m. Texas at Arkansas (2) . . . Baseball **5WC leaders** (Through Sunday)

Texas A&M at Houston (2) . . . . . . . . . . . noon (All Garnes-Min. 2 AB per Team Game 75% game partic.) Batting average Scott Malone, TCU. Kent Blasingame, Texas Tech . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 69 C. King, Texas

Darrin Glenn, Texas Tech......9

B. Thomas, Texas A&M .....

(Min. 1 IP per team game)

Steph. Texas Tech.....

Travis Barr, TCU.

Granger, Texas A&M

Shook, Texas Tech 

Campbell Conference 

Sunday: at Pittsburgh . . . . . . . . . . . . 6:35 p.m. Monday: at Minnesota . . . . . . . . . . . . 7:05 p.m. 

 May 8: at Minnesota
 7:05 p.m.

 May 10: at Edmonton
 8:35 p.m.\*

 May 12: at Minnesota
 7:05 p.m.\*

 May 14: at Edmonton . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 8:35 p.m.\*

Yesterday's summary Bruins 6, Penguins 3

First period—1, Pittsburgh, Mullen 4 (P.Bourque), 1:05.2, Boston, Janney 2 (Galley), 5:31 (pp). 3, Pittsburgh, Stevens 8 (Recchi, Lemieux), 8:28 (pp). 4, Boston, Neely 13 (Janney, Ruzicka), 16:02. Penalties—B. Sweeney, Bos (high-sticking), 1:44; Pittsburgh bench, served by Loney (too many men), 4:07; Roberts, Pit (holding), 5:56; Wesley, Bos (interference), 7:02; Hillier, Pit (interference), 9:14; Hammond, Bos

(Wesley, Christian), 16:02 (pp). Penalties—Janney, Bos (holding), 2:58; Poulin, Bos (cross-checking), 8:54; Stevens, Pit (holding), 10:03; Pittsburgh bench, served by Stevens Shots on goal-Pittsburgh 8-12-14-34. Boston 7-8-

Power-play Opportunities-Pittsburgh 1 of 7; Boston 2 of Goalies -- Pittsburgh, Barrasso, 5-4 (23 shots-17 saves). Boston, Moog, 9-5 (34-31). A-14,448.

Trinity Valley at Dallas St. Mark's Country Day at Episcopal School of Dallas

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Tennis

AT&T Challenge (At Roswell, Ga.) Round robin Aaron Krickstein d. Brad Gilbert (3), 1-6, 7-6 (7-2), 6-2. Michael Chang d. Patrick McEnroe, 6-4, 6-7 (5-7), 6-4. David Wheaton d. Pete Sampras (2), 6-1, 7-5. Patrick McEnroe d. Scott Davis, 6-1, 2-6, 7-5.

Munich Open

(At Munich, Germany) First round Dino Pescariu d. John McEnroe, 6-2, 6-2. Anders Jarryd d. Jonas Svensson, 6-4, 6-1. Goran Prpc d. Marc Woodforde, 6-3, 6-3. Horst Skoff d. Amos Mansdorf, 6-4, 6-2. Ivan Lendl d. Alexander Mronz, 6-2, 6-2.

Second round Goran Ivanisevic d. Eric Jelen, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3. Eduardo Bengoechea d. Todd Witsken, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4. Third round
Christian Bergstroem d. Marian Vajda, 6-2, 6-4.
Guillermo Perez-Roldan d. David Engel, 7-5, 6-2.

(At Madrid, Spain) Singles First round Sergio Bruguera (2) d. Tomas Carbonell, 6-4, 6-4. Second round Karel Novacek (4) d. Cassio Motta, 6-3, 7-5. Jordi Arrese (7) d. Jose Francisco Altur, 6-4, 6-7 (6-8), 7-6

City of Madrid Grand Prix

Thierry Champion d. Renzo Furlan, 3-6, 6-1, 6-1. Franco Davin (6) d. Mats Wilander, 6-3, 2-6, 6-0. Doubles Second round Chris Garner-Greg van Emburgh d. Mansour Bahrami-Michael Sachapers, 6-4, 6-2.

### **Record 27 communities**

bid for World Cup games A record 27 communities and 31 stadiums, including Dallas, bid Wednesday to be the sites of games during the 1994 World Cup and seven applied for the final match of soccer's 52-game champion-Charles Cale, the chief executive officer

of World Cup USA 1994, said he hoped

12 finalist cities would be selected by Dec.

'It is our desire to have this tournament spread through the United States," Cale said. "I think the geographic dispersal we've seen from our bid cities is exactly what we're hoping for." Cities will make oral presentations in Los

Angeles the week of May 20. The cities will be selected jointly by the organizing committee and by the International Federation of Association Football, soccer's governing body.

Dallas; Kansas City, Mo.; Los Angeles and Pasadena, Calif.; Miami; East Rutherford, N.J.; New York; and Tampa, Fla. applied for the World Cup final. The favorites are considered to be Joe Robbie Stadium in Miami, the Rose Bowl in Pasadena and Memorial Coliseum in Los Angeles Thirteen cities applied for the tournament's opening game, which will include Germany, the defending champion: Chicago; Dallas; Foxboro, Mass.; Kansas City, Mo.; Miami; New Haven, Conn.; East Rutherford, N.J.; New York; Orlando; Philadelphia; San Francisco and Stanford, Calif.; Tampa, Fla.; and Washington.

### School officials rethink ban on teams' clothes

Officials at a Boca Raton, Fla., junior high school have banned all clothes with Los Angeles Raiders and Kings logos to

head off the spread of gangs, but were rethinking the policy after a number of students defied the ban yesterday. Although they don't have a gang prob-

lem yet, Loggers Run Middle School in suburban Boca Raton took the step as a precautionary measure, said Murray Harris, spokesman for the Palm Beach County School District. However, he added the school is recon-

sidering the policy after a number of students defied the ban on Wednesday. 'We're still feeling our way with this,"

Harris said. "The principal is gathering more information.

Harris said the Loggers Run school officials acted after lectures from a consultant on gangs, who told them gang members wear certain clothes, hats and colors to show they are a part of gang. The blackand-silver logos of the two Los Angeles teams are a favorite with many gangs, Melita said.

### Fire players credited

in rape suspect's arrest Two Birmingham Fire football players

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are being praised by police for helping

them arrest a peeping Tom who turned out to be a suspect in a series of rapes. Safety Steve Gage and linebacker Chad Thorson spotted a man lurking around their Shelby County, Ala., apartment complex, got his name and a license number and called the police. The tip led to the arrest Monday of 27-year-old Kevin O. Roper of Ashville, Ala., who was charged with a rape. He's suspected in another rape and an attempted rape, police said.

"We had no idea he was anything other than some guy who looks in windows," Gage said. "But the police knew. They knew right away."

Police in January had announced the search for a man who had burglarized the apartments of three women since Sept. 27, raping the first two and attempting to rape a third. Since then, at least six more women were attacked but not raped, probably by the same man, police said. Three were attacked in their homes.

### Football

New Orleans will withdraw its bid to be the host of the 1995 Super Bowl because of scheduling conflicts, Mayor Sidney Barthelemy said. Beacause two conventions have tied up 9,000 hotel rooms around the time the game will be played, the city will be unable to reserve the NFL's requirement of 36,000 rooms for each of two weekends at the end of January and the beginning of February.

### Florida high school star

arrested on assault charges An all-state high school basketball player was arrested and charged with kidnapping and raping a 31-year-old woman

at gunpoint. Bill Teal, a point guard who led St. Petersburg (Fla.) Gibbs to the Class 3A state semifinals in two of the past three years, and another 18-year-old were ordered held in the Manatee County jail on \$30,015 bond.

A police report said two men raped a Palmetto woman at gunpoint at about 3:30 a.m. (CST) yesterday. The woman later fled and called police.

An officer investigating a disabled vehicle heard a radio description of the sus-

pects and asked Teal and Robert Bryant, Jr. to stop when he saw them riding past. The two agreed to accompany the officer to the police station, and were later identi-

fied by the woman as her attackers. The 6-foot-5 guard verbally committed to accept a scholarship from the University of Arkansas. However, he was having trouble meeting academic requirements and planned to enroll next fall at San Jacin-

### Damage award upheld in helmet injury case

to Junior College in Texas.

The Oregon Court of Appeals today upheld an \$11.1 million damage award against the designer and manufacturer of a football helmet worn by a high school student when he was severely injured.

A Multnomah County Circuit Court jury in October 1989 awarded the damages, through his parents, to Richard Austria and against the Bike Athletic Co. and Kendall Research Center.

Bike manufactured and marketed the "Air Power" helmet involved. It was designed by Kendall Research Center, a subsidiary of Colgate-Palmolive, which is the parent company of Bike.

Austria was a 16-year-old Gresham High School student when a player's knee smashed into his helmet during practice on Sept. 4, 1985.

Several weeks later he collapsed and was found to have severe brain swelling and blood accumulation, a condition known as hematoma, which required surgery. He is seriously physically impaired as a result and also has some mental impairment, the appeals court said.

The Court of Appeals rejected the companies' argument that there wasn't sufficient evidence to show the helmet caused the injuries.

Basketball The Pensacola Tornados of the Continental Basketball Association will move from Florida to Birmingham, Ala., for the 1991-92 season, team president Tom McMillan announced. Terms of a lease agreement have been finalized with the city's 5,000-seat Bill Harris State Fair Arena, McMillan said at a news conference.



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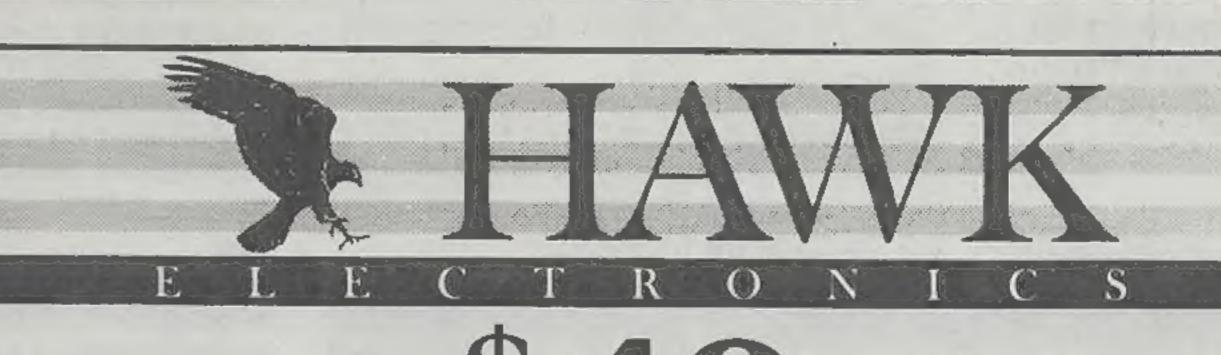
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# Mavericks don't pick up option, so English becomes a free agent

BY ROGER B. BROWN Fort Worth Star-Telegram

To nobody's surprise, the Dallas Mavericks decided yesterday not to exercise the option on the second year of Alex English's contract.

English said it was a decision that was made long before yesterday and that he was told more than a month ago that he wouldn't be back.

"This is some-English

thing that is in the best interest of both parties," English said from his Denver home. "It was probably the toughest year of my professional caree because of the way I was jerked around.

"But I'd like to say that I enjoyed and appreciated the support the fans gave me. I also enjoyed the city of Dallas. In any negative, there are some positives to be found. And there were quite a few for me in Dallas. It's just that there were so few on the court for me."

English, 37, is now an unrestricted free agent and can sign with any team in the league. And while he has said that he wants to play another season, he said yesterday that a final decision hasn't been made "and probably won't for another month or so."

"I'm not going to just try and hang around," English said. "I have too much pride for that. I won't embarrass myself, and I'll only stay around if I can help some team. Hopefully, that will be with a contender because I'd like to get one last crack at winning a championship, which is why I came to Dallas in the first place."

### Mavericks notes

English signed a one-year contract with the Mavericks last summer at \$1.5 million, with Dallas having the option on the second year. The only stipulation was a \$500,000 buyout within 10 days of the completion of the regular season if the Mavericks decided against picking up the option.

"When we met with Alex last summer, we were all planning on having a great season, plus a long run in the playoffs," said Mavericks chief operating officer/general manager Norm Sonju. "But having lost 199 games to injuries, our plans did not work out.

"Having talked with Alex and his representative, Ted Steinberg, we all feel this decision is best for everyone. We are grateful for the contributions Alex made this season and are especially pleased he reached the 25,000-point milestone as a Maver-

English averaged 9.7 points on .439 shooting from the field in 22.1 minutes. He appeared in 79 games for the Mavericks. English is the seventh-leading scorer in National Basketball Association history with 25,613 points, 124 points behind Atlanta's Moses Malone for sixth

"Alex has our highest respect," Sonju said. "We wish him the best of luck next season with whichever team he plays for. We're convinced Alex will be a contributor in the NBA next season.

"Having a draft pick in the lottery is something we did not anticipate before the season. Not exercising the option on Alex's contract helps us

plan for adding a lottery draft choice to our team."

Although there are no suitors at this point, English said he wouldn't mind returning to Denver to end his career, or maybe Utah. He said that he'd prefer to stay in the West with a contender that likes to run with the ball.

### **Draft day nears**

The speculation already has started about the Mavericks' draft plans, and once again point guard Derek Harper's name is at the top of many teams' shopping lists.

During the season, Chicago, Detroit and the Los Angeles Clippers talked to the Mavericks about acquiring Harper. But that's as far as it got. Now, the Clippers are said to have made another run at Harper by offering forward Ken Norman plus their No. 1 pick in the draft (if it is not among the top six) for Harper.

The Clippers made a similar offer during the season but also included point guard Gary Grant in the package. However, the Mavericks asked for Danny Manning and received the stiff-arm from the Clippers.

"I can't worry about that kind of stuff right now," Harper said. "I know this is a business, and I went through that for a couple of months during the season. I just wish that if it is true, then somebody would do something, so this could all be over

"I like it here in Dallas, but I know that this is a business. I'd like to be here and help get this thing turned around, but if that's not going to be the case, then so be it. But I would hope that if I got traded, it would be to a contending team."

### Briefly

Mavericks free-agent guard Kelvin Upshaw said he might have his ailing left knee scoped if it doesn't improve in the next couple of days. Upshaw was plagued by tendinitis in the knee most of the last month of the season. "It is still sore, and I'd like to find out what's wrong with it," Upshaw said. "I wouldn't want to carry this over into training camp."

Fellow reserve guard Steve Alford said he is looking at several teams, including Sacramento, Milwaukee and Minnesota. He also said he has received some feelers from the Boston Celtics.

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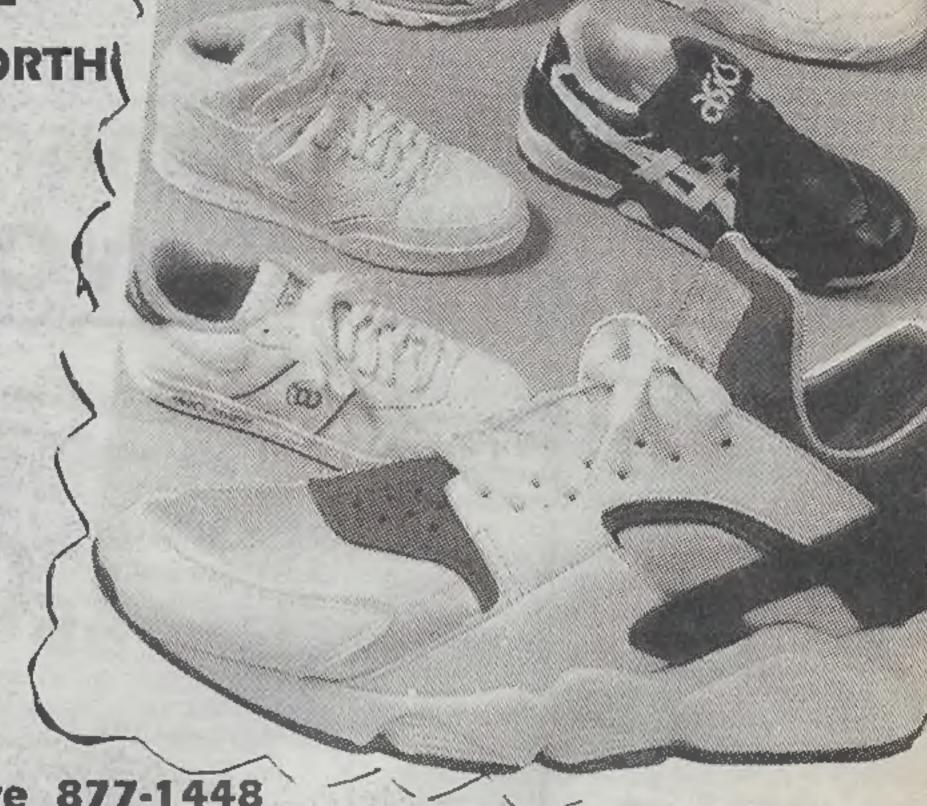
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# Celtics prevail; Rothstein resigns

From Wire Reports

Boston picked the right time to snap a five-game losing streak in Indianapolis, beating the Indiana Pacers, 112-105, last night to take a 2-1 lead in their first-round National Basketball Association playoff se-

Kevin McHale scored 16 of his 22 points in the second quarter when Boston took the lead for good. The Celtics, who have been eliminated in the opening round of the playoffs the past two years, can wrap up the best-of-5 series with a victory tomorrow night.

A fifth game, if necessary, would be Sunday at the Boston Garden.

The Celtics, who hadn't won in Indianapolis since March 16, 1989, shut down Chuck Person, who scored 39 points and set an NBA playoff record with seven 3-pointers in Indiana's 130-118 victory at Boston on Sunday. Person, who had 62 points in the first two games, didn't make a field goal after hitting his first two shots and finished with only 6 points on 2-for-8 shooting.

Boston also kept the ball away from Reggie Miller in the first half, limiting him to one point. He added 19 in the second half to lead the Pacers with 20, but six came on a pair of 3-pointers after the outcome had been decided.

McHale made back-to-back jumpers to put Boston ahead to stay, 35-31. The baskets ignited a 12-4 spurt that gave the Celtics a 43-35

The Pacers, who were outre- as coach of the Miami Heat.

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bounded in the quarter, 13-6, cut their deficit to 45-40 on Detlef Schrempf's basket with 4:53 remaining in the first half. But they didn't get another field goal before halftime as the Celtics used a 15-5 run for a 60-45 lead.

The Pacers shot only 16 for 43 in the first half, compared to Boston's 26 for 44.

The final score was as close as Indiana came in the second half. Indiana, which lost for the 10th time in 12 playoff games, cut its deficit to 80-73 on Randy Wittman's jumper with 11:01 to play, but then made only one field goal until Vern Fleming scored on a layup with 4:28 remaining.

By that time, Indiana was trailing, 95-85, staying in the game only by making 20 consecutive free throws in the final two periods.

Six Celtics finished in double figures, with Kevin Gamble scoring 18, while Larry Bird, Brian Shaw and Reggie Lewis had 15 apiece.

Indiana, which lost LaSalle Thompson when he picked up his second technical in a third-quarter in a shoving match with McHale, got 18 points from Micheal Wil-

### Rothstein resigns

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Citing the emotional toll of coaching an expansion team, Ron Rothstein resigned

Reports of Rothstein's imminent departure began before the end of the season. Rothstein's announcement came at a news conference after he met with Heat managing partner Lewis Schaffel and limited partner Billy Cunningham.

The move pre-empted a decision by the front office on his fate; reports that he would be fired were first published more than two weeks ago.

"As we talked, it became very apparent to me how draining this thing has been to me and my family," Rothstein said, his voice breaking. "I'm just not going to put my family through that anymore."

Rothstein, whose contract expires in July, said he turned down an extension earlier this year.

"They had an offer on the table to me," he said. "I said, 'Let's wait until the end of

the season. Rothstein said he would like to be an assistant in the NBA next season. He said he also would consider a broadcasting job. Rothstein made his network television de-

### but Sunday during an NBA playoff game. Barkley cited

Philadelphia's Charles Barkley, who was fined \$10,000 by the NBA for spitting on fans in March, received a police citation for disorderly conduct during a playoff game against the Milwaukee Bucks.

Police issued the citation Tuesday for an incident during the Bucks-76ers playoff game Saturday at the Bradley Center. The 76ers won the game, 116-112, in over-

The episode happened between the fourth period and overtime, when cups of water and ice were thrown between fans and the 76ers' huddle. Police cited Barkley for his role in the exchange. City Attorney Charles Theis said his off-

ice will review the incident. The NBA said it completed its investigation Tuesday and will take no action. "We checked to make sure building,

players and fans were properly treated and that we know the facts behind the incident," NBA spokesman Terry Lyons The 76ers said the incident, which they

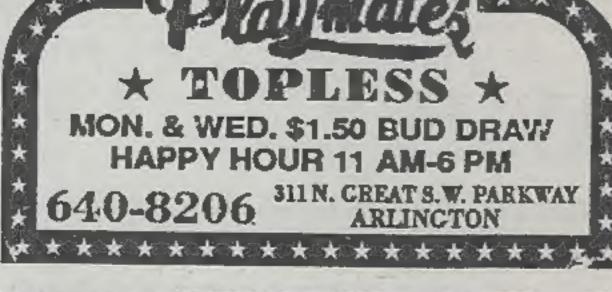
were unaware of until yesterday, was between the police and Barkley. "Naturally, if you have something like

that, it may reflect on the team, but again that's Charles' personal matter and we'd rather not get involved in that," 76ers spokesman Zak Hill said. Barkley's attorney, Glenn Guthrie, said

he was unaware of the citation.



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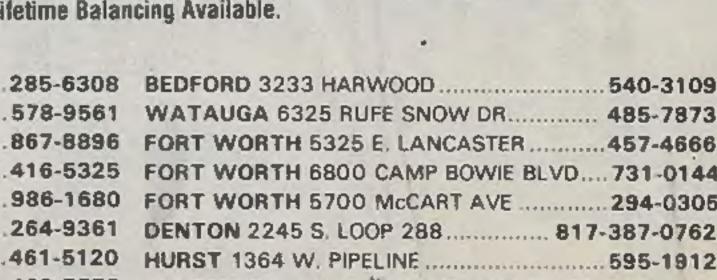
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